RUSSIA

Delivers Her Ultimatum to the British Agents at Tien-Tsin.

Johnny Bull Must Apologize

And Withdraw His Troops, According to Gen. Wogack's Instructions But He Declines to Do Either---The Outcome May Aid the Boers.

Peking, March 21.—General Wogack has refused to accept Count Von Waldersee's arbitration at Tien Tsin, and demands that the British not only withdraw but apologize for removing the Russian flag. General Barrow refuses to do either, and in so refusing has the support of the British government. British reinforcements are being sent.

Russia's proceedings in Korea are now openly aggressive, and it is believed that she is about to make further demands in connection with Ma San Po.

Effect in Russia.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—The Russian press is not alarmed about the Tien Tsin affair. There is no mention of it in the official agency's dispatches. But the London correspondent of the Novoe Vremya characterizes the dispute as unimportant. Another London correspondent quotes a French diplomat as saying that an Anglo-Russian war is impossible, and Russia need only threaten to support the Boers to bring Great Britain to her knees. The Novosti advocate a Russo-Japanese alliance, which will insure Japan her chosen possessions and a large market for her industrial products in Russian territory.

Uncle Sam's Scheme.

Washington, March 21.—Assuming that the other powers are willing to accept the scheme proposed by the United States, allowing for each missionary killed or injured, and an allowance for property destroyed, the sum total of the joint indemnity claim would be considerably less than $250,000,000. It is not doubted that with order restored the Chinese revenues would be able to meet this charge against them within a reasonable time. But it appears almost hopeless now to expect the other powers to accept the same basis of compensation that would satisfy the United States government.

Fear the French Troops.

Peking, March 21.—The British reinforcements, consisting of 80 marines, which arrived at Tien Tsin from the Taku forts to replace the Indian guards on the disputed land, are explained as due to a fear lest any incident arising out of the Russo-British land question should cause the French troops, whose conduct has given much trouble, to precipitate a collision. The British commanders desire to have enough troops in Tien Tsin to preserve order in the streets. General Bailloud has gone to inquire into the conduct of the French troops at Tien Tsin.

England Will Yield.

Berlin, March 21.—In German official circles it is asserted that British and Russian guards still occupy the land in controversy at Tien Tsin, and that a satisfactory adjustment of the matter may be expected. The press does not consider the Tien Tsin incident vital. All the papers express a belief that Great Britain will yield. The Vossische Zeitung says that England can not now afford to engage in a serious conflict with Russia.

Joint Damages.

Berlin, March 21.—Commenting on President McKinley's proposal that the powers should demand joint damages from China, each of them taking a share of the same, The Berliner Tageblatt points out that Count Von Buelow, speaking in the reichstag March 15, had already declared this to be the best method, adding that there exists consequently a complete agreement between the German and American points of view.

A SMALL FORTUNE

A Hancock County Woman Refused for Years to Accept from Oil Co.

Findlay, O., March 21.—Yesterday Mrs. Rebecca Beardsley signed a receipt for $25,000 which had been lying in vaults of the Buckeye Pipe Line Co. to her credit. Through an artifice an oil lease had been secured on her land and for years she refused to accept one cent of royalty from the oil on her farm, saying that the money was accursed. It was at Beardsley home that the famous Foster gang tortured the family in 1887 and secured 03,000. John Beardsley afterwards dying from the effects of the treatment. Mrs. Beardsley believes the money has always brought the family misfortune but now on her death bed has been persuaded to accept royalties hereafter.

IN MALE ATTIRE

The Girl Was Masquerading After She Ran Away From Home.

Washington, Mar. 21.—The police last night arrested Catherine Glenn, aged 17. She was in male attire and was known as Frank Thomas and was found with Grace Mendels, who passed as Mrs. Thomas at a boarding house, where both lived. No one suspected the disguise till Mrs. Glenn set police on her daughters track. The girl was working as a waiter in a cheap restaurant, and ran away with the Mendel girl whom she loved "Better than anything on earth."

EXAGGERATED

Are Reports Which Go to the Public Regarding Tien-Tsin Situation.

St. Petersburg, Mar. 21.—A semi-official note issued today says regarding Tien Tsin incident, that the situation has been terribly exaggerated by the British press. The trouble is due to the forceful manner in which the British tried to gain possession of disputed land. The note says the matter is one to be handled by diplomacy and does not doubt it will be amicably arranged.

ARE UNDER ARMS.

British are Preparing for a Bloody Conflict with Russians.

Tien Tsin, Mar. 21.—The situation is unchanged this morning except that the British are strengthening their forces and the troops in the British settlement are all under arms.

BRITISH STEAMER LOST.

London, March 21.—Off Flushing last night the British steamer, Tay, collided with the Australian steamer, Chemnitz. The former vessel went down and fourteen persons, including the captain of the Tay and three women, were drowned.

THE OBERLIN ROBBERY.

Oberlin, March 21.—It is believed that the post office robbers got nothing yesterday, but it is impossible to open the safe. An inspector, who arrived this morning says the loss will not exceed $50.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, March 21.—Cattle 8,000, 10 cents higher; hogs 18,000 strong, 10 cents higher; sheep 12,000 strong.

FIREMAN

Instantly Killed on His First Trip.

Train Ran Into Open Switch at Terre Haute.

Engine Turned Over But Passenger Cars Remained Upright—The Passengers Were Not Injured.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 21.—The Chicago and Florida special on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, while running at 30 miles an hour, ran into an open switch in this city, derailing the engine and four of the six cars, and killing the fireman. The engine turned over but the cars stayed on the track. Fireman Sam Cardeman, 30, of Chicago, who was killed, was on his first trip. None of the passengers was hurt. Several of the Pullman cars were damaged, as the train dashed into some freight cars on a siding. The track was torn up for a block.

SEALED

Indictments Returned by Grand Jury

In Richardson Murder Case at Savannah.

It is Alleged That the Murdered Millionaire's Wife Will Give Evidence Against Two Men if Acquitted.

Savannah, Mo., March 21. — Sealed indictments, it is said, were returned by the special grand jury against two men for the murder of Millionaire Frank W. Richardson, who was killed at the door of his wife's bedroom on the night of Dec. 24. It is said that the indictments will not be made public until after Mrs. Addie R. Richardson, who was recently indicted for murder in the first degree, has been tried for the crime. It is alleged that Mrs. Richardson will give evidence against the two men if she is acquitted of the charge on which she has been indicted.

BRITISH

Forces Pounded by Boers Near the Klip River.

General Campbells Column Unable to Return to Standerton on Account of a Flood.

Durban, March 21. — Owing to the Klip river being flooded General Campbell's column has been unable to return to Standerton, to which it went to bring away the garrison at Vredo, which the British evacuated. The column had heavy fighting going to and coming from Vredo. General Campbell has about 200 sick and wounded. There are many bands of roving Boers in the neighborhood of Standerton.

OHIO

Political Situation Discussed

Mark and Dick

And "Old Figgers" Confer With McKinley

And They Decide to Make a Play for Republican Harmony

By Renominating the Hanna Ticket and Having Joey B. Endorsed by the State Convention for Senator.

Washington, March 21. — Senator Hanna, General Grosvenor and Congressman Dick of Ohio had a very extended conference with the president. Senator Foraker called during the progress of the conference. The consultation was largely confined to the present situation in Ohio. It was decided that Governor Nash and most of the present Ohio state ticket should be renominated this autumn; also that Senator Foraker should be indorsed by the state convention for re-election. Mr. Dick is to be chairman of the state executive committee.

Wolcott in the Cabinet.

Pueblo, Colo., March 21.—It is definitely known here that ex-Senator Edward O. Wolcott of Colorado will in a few days be appointed by the president to be secretary of the interior to succeed Mr. Hitchcock. The news has been received by friends of Mr. Wolcott in this city, and it is expected that the announcement will be made soon.

NEGROES

Were the Victims of Mob Violence.

One Was Taken From the Jail and Lynched.

The Other, Though Believed to Have Been Riddled With Bullets, Fought Through the Mob and Escaped.

Terry, Miss., March 21.—Jerry Bell, a negro, was lynched by a mob that hanged him to a railroad bridge. Bell was discovered in the room of a young woman visiting the family of R. C. Terry. He escaped to Bryan, Miss., where he was arrested. After being brought back to Terry he was arraigned and bound over to the circuit court, when the mob got him. Later developments implicate another negro, Charles Hollinsworth, whom the mob meant to hang at the same time and place with Bell, but he fought his way through the small army of men, and, although 50 shots were fired at him, he escaped in the darkness. It is generally thought he will be found riddled with bullets.

Blow to the Prosecution.

Omaha, March 21.—On motion of the county attorney the trial of James Callahan, the alleged abductor of Edward Cudahy, Jr., was postponed until April 1. The prosecution asked for a continuance because of a technicality in the complaint which, it is claimed, was filed irregularly. This may prove fatal to the prosecution. New complaints are to be filed at once. Callahan is preparing for a vigorous defense. He will have a dozen witnesses, including Pat Crowe and John Crowe, a brother.

New York's Thanks.

New York, March 21.—Mayor Van Wyck sent the following cablegram to Andrew Carnegie, addressed to Southampton: "The people of New York heartily thank you for your noble offer to give $5,000,000 for the establishment of free circulating libraries in their city. They extend to you their best wishes with a full appreciation of the magnitude of your gift to them and the generosity which prompted it."

Two Men Blown to Pieces.

Kokomo, Ind., March 21. — By the premature explosion of 50 pounds of dynamite on the farm of Isaac Marlowe, three miles southeast of here, Marlowe and William Stamm were blown to atoms. Fragments of their anatomy were found lodged in treetops nearly half a mile distant. Marlowe recently came to this county from Milford county, Ills.

ELECTRIC CAR

With Fifty Passengers On Board Wrecked This Morning.

Alexandria, Ind., March 21.—A south bound car on the Union Traction electric line was wrecked this morning near Summitville. The brakes refused to work and all of the fifty passengers, who were aboard, were injured, some seriously, while conductor Will Tureblood, was flung against a pole and fatally hurt.

APPEAL MADE

For Clemency For Ed. Ruthven, Who Killed An Officer.

Columbus, March 21.—The board of pardons is in session today, to hear appeals for clemency for Ed. Ruthven, who murdered patrolman Shipp in Cleveland. There is little chance for clemency. Ruthven was sentenced to die in the electric chair, April 12.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, March 21.—For Ohio, fair tonight and Friday, except occasional snow along northeast lake shore tonight. Rising temperature in western portion Friday.

BRIBERY

Charges Made in the Minnesota House.

A Committee of Five Members to Investigate.

The Scandal Grew Out of the Disposition of a Bill to Increase Tax on Gross Earnings of Railroads.

St. Paul, March 21.—The house of representatives, by unanimous vote, appointed a committee of five to investigate charges of bribery made by Representative Jacobson in connection with the disposition of his bill to increase the railroad gross earnings tax. The charges were made during the argument as to the disposition of the bill, which finally was referred to the recently appointed tax commission, to be incorporated in the commission's report to the governor in such shape as would meet the approval of the courts.

BLIZZARD

Plays Havoc With Railroad Traffic.

Storm Raged in Wisconsin for Thirty-six Hours.

An Omaha Train Was Stranded in a Snowdrift for Nine Hours. Freight Traffic Had to be Abandoned.

Cumberland, Wis., March 21.—The severe blizzard which has prevailed throughout western Wisconsin for the past 36 hours is the worst seen for years, and has played havoc with railroad traffic. An Omaha train was stuck in the snow two miles south of here for nine hours, and another was snowbound south of Turtle lake for a similar period. All freights have been abandoned and passenger trains are running with double headers. Country roads are impassable and lumbering operations at a standstill. The stave and heading mills are shut down on account of the storm, which is still raging.

TURKISH

Wrestler, Naurloulah, Has Secured a Match.

Will Meet Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, at Madison Square Garden on Seventh of May.

New York, March 21. — Nouroulah, the Turk, and Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, were matched to contest in a wrestling match at Madison Square Garden on the night of May 7 next. Martin Julien represented the Turk, while George V. Tuohy acted for Jenkins. It was decided that the contest shall be decided on two out of three falls, pin falls only to count, and all holds to go. Charley White was agreed upon by both sides as referee.

FRENCH

Government Is Placed in a Very Embarrassing Position.

The Dock Strike at Marseilles

Results In Blood Being Shed, Ruin Menaces the Port and the Socialists Demand Interference on Behalf of the Striking Dock Workers.

Marseilles, March 21.—The situation here is very disquieting, owing to the increasing aggressive attitude of the strikers. During the disorders of the day panic spread to the townspeople, and stores, restaurants and cafes were hurriedly closed. The Rue De La Canebiere and the other leading thoroughfares of the city were deserted. A crowd numbering 2,000 burst through a cordon of cavalry along the dock side. The cavalry charged and drove the strikers back. A volley of stones was then thrown in all directions, and a brigadier, two gendarmes and hussars and several infantry were injured. The soldiers were greatly exasperated, but their officers succeeded in controlling them.

The strikers are irritated at the refusal of the premier, M. Waldeck-Rosseau, to receive the Socialist mayor of Marseilles, M. Flassieres, who sought to obtain government pressure to force the masters to negotiate, they having declined to do so on the ground that the strike was unjustifiable, and a breach of a previous agreement. M. Flassieres threatened that the Socialists will make reprisals for this insult from the government. The public generally recognizes that the strike has already done an immense amount of injury, and may completely ruin the port.

The government is in an extremely embarrassing position, especially M. Millerand, the minister of commerce, as the Socialists demand that the government should intervene in favor of the strikers, and are disgruntled at the employment of troops. On the other hand, the government is urged to take vigorous measures to secure the freedom of labor, especially in view of the fact that the foreign element, chiefly Italian, which preponderates among the striking dock laborers, is utterly indifferent to the fate of Marseilles.

There were further collisions between the strikers and the gendarmes and hussars at nightfall, near Fort St. James. Several arrests were made.

GENERAL KILLED

A Brother of the Redoubtable General Botha Killed by the British.

Capetown, Mar. 21.—Commandant Botha, brother of General Botha, has been killed in a fight near Lydenburg. The Boers obtained important success at Vreda, Orange Free State, besieging the British garrison, held by General Campbell, who was obliged to retreat with two hundred sick and wounded.

BANK EMPLOYE

Was Counting Money When He Decided to Commit Suicide.

Chicago, March 21.—While counting several thousand dollars in currency and checks in the rear room of the Union Trust bank this morning, E. Linville, for years a trusted employe of the institution, suddenly grabbed a revolver that was lying on his desk and fired a bullet into his right temple. Death instantly followed. The bank officials say that Linville's accounts are all right and that his domestic relations were pleasant.

LION AND BEAR

Are Reported to have Reached a Temporary Agreement.

London, March 21.—Lord Lansdowne says: "Russia and England agree to withdraw their troops from the disputed territory at Tien Tsin and reserve the question of who has right to a title in the land for subsequent examination.

FOR MURDER

Two Bank Robbers are Placed on Trial at Harrisburg To-day.

Harrisburg, March 21.—Henry Rowe and Watson Keiper, who attempted to rob the national bank at Halifax here recently, and who shot and killed Chas. W. Ryan, a cashier when he refused to hand over the contents of the cash drawer, were placed on trial today to answer to the charge of murder. A great crowd is gathering to hear the testimony.

EXPLOSION

Killed the Engineer and Sadly Disabled an Entire Electric Line.

Greenwood, Ind., March 21.—An explosion in boiler house of the Indianapolis and Greenwood electric line this morning, blew out the side of the building and fatally injured Wilbur Johnson the engineer. The entire line was thrown out of service and it will take several days for repairs. The accident was caused by a defective valve.

MRS. HARRISON

May Begin Proceedings to Set Aside the Ex-President's Will.

Indianapolis, March 21.—It is reported that Mrs. Benjamin Harrison will attempt to break her husband's will, as she would get more of the estate if it is divided according to law. Her attorney has refused to say anything about the matter.

SMASHED JEFF

Then Jeff Clinched Him and Broke Two of His Ribs.

Chicago, March 21.—Jack Flaherty, a saloonist, who lost money on the Jeffries-Sharkey fight, concluded to get even last night by slugging Jeffries as he left the theatre. He got in one punch and then Jeffries hugged him. When they were pried loose, two of Flaherty's ribs were found to be broken.

COLORADO STORY

About Secretary Hitchcock's Resignation Is Denied.

Washington, March 21.—The story from Colorado that secretary of the Interior Hitchcock is to resign and be succeeded by ex-Senator Wolcott is emphatically denied at the White House. The President has no intention of asking for Hitchcock's resignation. Secretary Hitchcock also denied the story, saying that he was leased his Washington home for four more years.

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The Chicago & Erie railroad will sell cheap one way tickets to California on Tuesdays of each week up to and including April 30. See agent F. C. McCoy. sat&wed tf

The Game Couldn't Kill Duelist.

A story which is going the rounds of the European press illustrates the absurdities of the French duel. Two men of Paris arranged to fight a duel at Calais. They were highly pleased—at least one of them was—at the prospect, for it meant public proclamation of their bravery at the cost of only a scratch or two and, what was more serious, a few coppers for coffee. But one of the duelists, as it turned out, really wanted to kill and be killed, for he had made up his mind to commit suicide. On learning this the other man fainted and had to be carried off to bed. This seemed to be a great disappointment to the one with suicidal intentions, and after vainly trying to pick a quarrel with his second he went and drowned himself.—New York Press.

REMARKABLE CURES OF RHEUMATISM.

From the Vindicator, Rutherfordton, N. C.

The editor of the Vindicator has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications of Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and realizing instant benefit and entire relief in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Comrades When in Distress.

Dr. Conan Doyle tells this story of a Boer and an English soldier who lay wounded side by side on the field of battle: "They had a personal encounter, in which the soldier received a bullet wound and the burgher a bayonet thrust before they both fell exhausted on the field. The Britisher gave the Boer a drink out of his flask and the burgher, not to be outdone in courtesy, handed a piece of biltong in exchange. In the evening, when their respective ambulances came to carry them off to hospital, they exchanged friendly greetings: "Good-by, mate," said the soldier, "what a blessing it is we met each other!"

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Canadian Leader's Ancestry.

Robert Laird Borden, the new leader of the opposition in the Canadian parliament, is of American ancestry. His family lived in Connecticut and was loyal to England during the revolution.

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WITH AX IN HAND

A Colored Woman Begins a Crusade Against Crap Joints.

Chicago, March 21. — Adopting the smashing methods of Carrie Nation, Mrs. Lottie Jones, colored, went forth on the South Side to wield an ax in a crusade against crap games and policy shops. She began her work by wrecking a coal office at 2551 Dearborn street, where she found her spouse engaged in a game of craps. When she had smashed the windows and reduced the furniture in the coal office to kindling wood, Mrs. Jones started in search of a policy shop where her husban had been losing money. When she reached the policy shop, however, she found it closed and went home. She says she will smash every place where her husband is wont to gamble.

A Woman's Confession.

Bedford, Ind., March 21.—The community of Owensburg, west of here, is excited over a confession of a woman named Mrs. Tude Baker, who says that C. P. Rockwell, a Cincinnati man, who has been missing three years, was murdered and hid under her house, and after several days the body was taken and thrown into an abandoned coal shaft in the vicinity. The officers will say nothing regarding the matter, and search will be made immediately for the remains. Rockwell was traveling, taking subscriptions for a soldiers' paper.

Ohio Postoffice Robbed.

Oberlin, O., March 21.—Robbers blew open the safe in the postoffice here and escaped with everything of value. A young man named Randolph, who slept in the building, was found lying on the floor bound and gagged. The amount taken will not be known until the postoffice inspector arrives. Randolph says the work was done by three masked men. The cracksmen got out of town on a handcar. The inner safe door was so badly warped that it can not be opened, and postoffice officials now believe the burglars did not gain access to it.

Cuban Relations.

Havana, March 21.—The committee on relations decided to hold a meeting during the day, when the report on the Platt amendment will be finally discussed. Senor Juan Gualberto Gomez, who drew up the report, asserts that four of the five members of the committee will recommend the constitutional convention not to accept the amendment, but to leave the whole question to the future republic. He says he is confident that the convention, which will meet Friday, will adopt the report.

Grand Rapids Out.

Grand Rapids, March 21.—President Strobel of the proposed new Interstate league circuit, including Indianapolis, Louisville and Grand Rapids, had a conference with George E. Ellis here. The latter declined to accept a franchise on account of the lateness of the season, Grand Rapids at present being without a baseball park.

Big English Exposition.

London, March 21.—It is reported in high official circles that King Edward contemplates a big exhibition in London on the lines of the Paris exposition, the idea being to enclose the Thames from Westminster bridge to Albert bridge, including the whole of Battersea park.

Returns to Stand Trial.

Plankinton, S. D., March 21.—Cashier Frank L. Setevens of the defunct Plankinton bank, after an absence of nearly a year and a half, reached home ready to stand trial. His coming is voluntary. The trial will take place at the September term.

Prince Chun as Regent.

London, March 21.—A Shanghai correspondent mentions a report that the allies, in the event of the failure of Emperor Kwang Su to return to Peking, intend to proclaim his brother, Prince Chun, as regent.

Lajoie Jumps.

Philadelphia, March 21.—Napoleon Lajoie, the leading second baseman of the country, signed a contract with Manager Connie Mack to play with the Philadelphia American league club.

Sued His Lady Love.

Toledo, March 21.—H. C. Bourquin, a business man of St. Mary's, O., brought suit against Mrs. Sarah B. Ruhle, a pretty young widow of that place, for $2,000 damages for breach of promise.

Turf Winners.

At San Francisco—Eonic, Ziri, Topmast, Cromwell, Amelia, Brenhilda.

At New Orleans—Momentum, Nannie Nolan, Frangible, Cluster, Dr. Carrick, Sue Johnson, Saline.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

Oil discovered at Milton, southern West Virginia.

Chicago packers to furnish 1,000,000 pounds of meat for the Philippines.

Tiptonville, Lake county, Tenn., almost destroyed by fire. Loss $75,000.

John Pondler, for years a picturesque figure on Wall street, died at New York.

P. K. Knox, Pittsburg, mentioned as the successor of Attorney General Griggs, soon to retire.

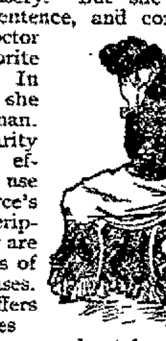
Grand hotel and Davis & Lennon's planing mills, Kenova, W. Va., burned out. Total loss $90,000.

Seymour Jenkins, wealthy young farmer of near Zanesville, O., hanged himself. Unrequited love.

Burglars attempted to rob the bank at Lowe, Washington county, O. Three suspects jailed at Marietta.

Director general of the mails in the Philippines reports a wholesale pilfering of the mails from the states.

The doctor sometimes passes a harder sentence than the judge. But the sentence of the doctor is more often set aside or overruled than is that of the judge. In the case of Mrs. Reycraft given below, the doctor sentenced her to about eighteen years of physical punishment and misery. But she rebelled against the sentence, and commenced the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. In a few weeks she was a well woman.



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WHERE AMERICA LEADS.

Our Colleges Are More Available to Women than England's.

A writer in the London Daily Mail states that popular sentiment in America has done its greatest work in giving the poor girl a desire to go to college and in giving her a college where she can go. The girl who wants to go on £50 a year can do it. Unless she lives in a secluded village or a very small town she can go on half that sum. There are few towns of any size without a college of some kind, privately endowed and publicly maintained. Next to this almost universality of opportunity, the American college girl values most the social trust given her in it all and the knowledge of men which she receives. The typical American girl studied side by side with her brother in the lower grades; she went to college naturally with him. It never occurred to her that she could not. It never occurred to him that she should not. Every American girl is trusted socially and the typical American college girl—the co-educational girl—receives this trust to the greatest degree. She thinks the English college girl as capable, even more so, of having this same social trust. "Does not England need now the American type of the college woman?" asks the American. "And, in making higher education so popular that most girls, whether rich or poor, would want it, and so cheap that most girls could get it; in raising the intellectual standard of English womanhood in general, as would be done by the former; in giving discipline of mind to hundreds who need it in the fight for bread, as would be done by the latter—in these is there not a mission as great and as vital as woman's education need have?"

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Girls who are troubled with moist, clammy hands should use a plentiful supply of borax in the washing water, dusting afterwards with boracic acid powder or with the best borated talcum powder. Old gloves worn at night are sometimes successful in whitening and softening rough hands; oatmeal water allowed to dry on the hands is also an excellent bleacher.

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CLASH OF FEUDISTS

Feared as the Result of a Killing in the Wilds of West Virginia.

Elkins, W. Va., March 21.—A feud, it is feared, will arise over the shooting and killing of Benjamin Haldeman, at the lumber camp at Weaver, five miles west of here, by Payton Stipes, a boy of 20. Haldeman had the reputation of being the terror of Weaver and of Durbin, at both of which settlements he was said to have run "speakeasies." He is also credited with having whipped a dozen men in as many encounters so severely that they nearly died. Men of both sides, it is reported, began arming immediately after the tragedy, and a bloody clash is feared.

Anthracite Situation.

Scranton, Pa., March 21.—There are no developments in the mine situation, and although President John Mitchell was in conference with the three district presidents, no business was transacted which could be made public. President Mitchell will continue his headquarters here until some communication is received from the presidents of the coal companies, in event of which the national and district presidents may journey to the metropolis.

Hampers Railway Service.

St. Paul, March 21.—The fierce storm of sleet, snow and wind which has raged in St. Paul since Tuesday morning is one of the worst storms this city has experienced in years. The storm hampered streetcar and railway traffic. The storm has covered almost the whole of the northwest, and most of the trains are coming into St. Paul late.

Oshkosh Isolated.

Oshkosh, Wis., March 21.—The sleet and snow storm have practically isolated Oshkosh from the rest of the world as far as wire communication is concerned. The loss in this city will reach many thousands of dollars, which will probably be augmented by the driving blizzard that is now in progress.

A Religious Editor.

Chicago, March 21. — Rev. Arthur Edwards, D. D., 66, editor of The Northwestern Christian Advocate and widely known in Methodist Episcopal church circles, died of heart trouble at his residence in this city. Dr. Edwards was born in Norwalk, O. and was graduated from the Wesleyan university of that state.

Jealousy Causes a Tragedy.

Toledo, March 21.—William Mitchell and Isaac Remley, both colored, quarreled on account of jealousy for Carrie Asbury, also colored, when the latter attempted to stab Mitchel with a big knife. Mitchell pulled a revolver and shot Remley, inflicting a fatal wound. Mitchell is under arrest

Capers Cut by a Cloud.

Rock Falls, Ills., March 21.—A large black, funnel-shaped cloud passed rapidly over this city, coming from the southwest. It completely destroyed the African Methodist Episcopal church, the Woodmen hall and many barns about four miles south of town.

Dual Language System.

Cape Town, March 21 —It is learned on good authority that the British government will almost certainly adopt the dual language system in the new colonies, a decision which will cause disappointment in Cape Town.

STAGE WHISPERS.

Blanche Bates will be starred by David Belasco in Paul M. Potter's dramatization of "Under Two Flags."

Orrin Johnson appears in the lead with Annie Russell in "A Royal Family," succeeding Charles J. Richman, who joins the Empire theater stock company in "Mrs. Dane's Defense."

Roland Reed, who for many weeks lay critically ill in St. Luke's hospital, was removed recently to his home in New York. He is rapidly gaining strength, but will not attempt to resume his professional work for many months to come.

The passing of Verdi removes from the musical world its Nestor. He was a genial man and a prolific composer of diverse moods, whose power seemed to augment with his years, which were approaching five score when the end came. It is not too much to say that all Italy mourns. He was the popular operatic composer of the century, whose works number about thirty. The best known of these in America are "Rigoletto," "Il Trovatore," "Traviata," and "Aida," first performed in Cairo in 1871.

A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve East Market Street, From the Public Square to the Ottawa River Bridge, by Grading, Draining, Curbing and Paving Same.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve east Market street in said city, from the Public Square east to the Ottawa River Bridge, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same, in the manner and with the materials set forth in the petition for such improvement; that is to say, from the Public Square east to the Lake Erie & Western railroad the street shall be properly graded and drained, and curbed with six inch by twenty-four inch curbing stone, and paved with vitrified paving block, on a six inch concrete foundation; and from the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad east to the Ottawa river bridge, the street shall be properly graded and drained, and curbed with five inch by twenty inch curbing stone, and paved, between the rails of the street railway tracks and eighteen inches on the outside thereof, with vitrified paving block, and between such lines and the curb, with sheet asphalt, on a six inch concrete foundation.

Sec. 2. That said improvement shall be made in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications thereof, heretofore adopted, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 3. That all public and private driveway crossings shall at the same time be improved in like manner as the balance of the street, from the curb line to the lot line.

Sec. 4. That the cost and expenses of said improvement, (less the cost and expenses incident to improving the public street and public alley intersections, the cost of construction of catch-basins and inlets thereto, and two per cent. of the total cost, all of which shall be paid by the city at large, and less that portion of the cost and expenses legally chargeable to The Lima Electric Railway & Light Company under the ordinance granting the privilege of constructing such street railway, and the laws of the state), shall be assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points: Provided, that the property abutting upon each section of the street which shall be paved a different width, or with different materials, shall be assessed with respect to the width such section is paved, and the materials used; and any and all assessments which, at the election of the property owners, are deferred shall be made payable in ten equal annual installments, and shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, and the same shall be collected as provided by law and the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed: and bonds bearing interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, unless the property owners shall make payment thereof in cash within the time prescribed in the assessing ordinance, the amount of bonds which shall be issued to be the total amount of such assessments less the amount so paid in cash by the property owners: Provided that the number of front feet owned by each of the parties petitioning for said improvement shall be taken to mean the number of feet their respective properties face or abut upon that part of said street so to be improved; and provided further that the cost of improving each private alley and private driveway crossing shall be assessed or charged to the party for whom benefit the same is made, and against his respective property.

Sec. 5. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution, in the manner prescribed by law, upon the said, The Lima Electric Railway & Light Company, and upon the owner or owners of each separate lot and tract of land abutting upon said street between said points, who are residents of Allen county

R. E. DAVIS, President of the Council

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Adopted March 18th, 1901.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—ST. GRADING.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Friday, April 5th, 1901, and opened immediately thereafter for the grading of Haller street from West street to Baxter in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

The cost of this work, when ascertained, less the city's portion thereof, shall be assessed upon the lots and lands abutting thereon, and made payable at such time as may hereafter be determined by an assessing ordinance to be passed; and such assessment, when made, shall be by the City Clerk transferred and made payable to the contractor or his assigns in payment for the work; the city's portion shall be paid by orders drawn upon the City Treasurer

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bond in the sum of $50.00 conditioned that the bidder will enter into proper contract with acceptable bond if same is awarded him.

By order of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., March 19, 1901.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—ST. GRADING.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Friday, April 19th, 1901, for the improvement of west Elm street from West street to Cole street by grading the same to the established grade in accordance with the specifications heretofore adopted and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check upon a Lima bank, payable to the City Clerk in the sum of $250.00 conditioned that the bidder will enter into contract with acceptable bond for the doing of said work, should the same be awarded him. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within ten days after award of contract.

By order of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., March 19, 1901.

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A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve West High Street, From Main Street to Cole Street, by Grading, Draining, Curbing and Paving Same.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve west High street in said city, from Main street west to Cole street, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same in the manner and with the material set forth in the petition for such improvement; that is to say, the street shall be properly graded and drained, and curbed and guttered with combined cement curb and gutter, and paved with first class quality of asphalt block on a six inch crushed stone and gravel foundation; said improvement to be made in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor, heretofore adopted, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 2. That all public and private alley driveway crossings shall at the same time be improved in like manner as the balance of the street is improved from the curb line to the lot line.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expenses of said improvement, (less the cost and expenses incident to improving the public street and public alley intersections, the cost of construction of catch basins and in-lets thereto, and two per cent. of the total cost, all of which shall be paid by the city at large), shall be assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points: Provided, that the property abutting upon each section of the street which shall be paved a different width, shall be assessed with respect to the width such section is paved; and any and all assessments which, at the election of the property owners, are deferred, shall be made payable in ten equal annual installments, and shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, and the same shall be collected as provided by law and the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed; and bonds bearing interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, unless the property owners shall make payment thereof in cash within the time prescribed in the assessing ordinance, the amount of bonds which shall be issued to be the total amount of such assessments less the amount so paid in cash by the property owners: Provided that the number of feet owned by each of the parties petitioning for said improvement shall be taken to mean the number of feet their respective properties face or abut upon that part of said street so to be improved; and provide further that the cost of improving each private alley and private driveway crossing shall be assessed or charged to the party for which benefit the same is made, and against his respective property.

Sec. 4. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution in the manner prescribed by law, upon the owner or owners of each separate lot or tract of land abutting upon said street between said points, who are residents of Allen County, and who have not signed the petition for said improvement and thereby waived such notice.

R. E. DAVIS, President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Adopted March 18th, 1901.

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A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve West High Street, Between Cole Street and the West Corporation Line, by Grading, Draining, Curbing and Paving Same.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve west High street in said city, between Cole street and the west corporation line, by grading, curbing and paving the same.

Sec. 2. That said improvement shall be made in all respects in accordance with plans, profiles and specifications therefor, heretofore adopted, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expenses of said improvement, (less the cost of improving the public street and public alley intersections, the cost of the construction of catch-basins and inlets thereto, and two per cent. of the total cost, all of which shall be paid by the city at large), shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, and any and all assessments which, at the election of the property owners, are deferred, shall be made payable in ten equal annual installments and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum payable annually and shall be collected as provided by law and the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed; and bonds bearing interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, unless the property owners shall make payment thereof in cash within the time prescribed in the assessing ordinance, the amount of bonds which shall be issued to be a total amount of such assessments, less the amount of the assessment so paid in cash by the property owners: Provided that the number of front feet owned by each of the parties petitioning for said improvement shall be taken to mean the number of feet their respective properties face or abut on that part of said street so to be improved.

Sec. 4. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution, in the manner prescribed by law, upon the owner or owners of each separate lot or tract of land abutting upon said street so to be improved, who are residents of Allen county.

R. E. DAVIS, President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Adopted March 18th, 1901.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS — ST. GRADING.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Friday, April 5th, 1901, and opened immediately thereafter, for the grading of Cherry alley from the north line of out-lot No. 318, to the south line of inlot No. 1771, in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

The cost of this work, when ascertained, less the city's portion thereof, shall be assessed upon the lots and lands abutting thereon, and made payable at such time as may hereafter be determined by an assessing ordinance to be passed; and such assessment when made, shall be, by the City Clerk, transferred and made payable to the contractor or his assigns in payment for the work; the city's portion shall be paid by orders drawn upon the City treasurer.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bond in the sum of $25.00 conditioned that the bidder will enter into proper contract with acceptable bond if same is awarded him.

By order of Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., March 19, 1901.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 2, Case No. 1501. Page 4-5.

Lizzie E. Metzger, Plaintiff, vs. Mortimer Bradrick et al, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, A. D. 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the north part of inlot number forty-nine hundred and forty-six (No. 4946) and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the north-east corner of said inlot number forty-nine hundred and forty-six (No 4946); thence south along east line of said lot seventy-seven (77) feet; thence west fifty (50) feet to the west line of said lot; thence north one hundred and nineteen (119) feet to Bellefontaine avenue; thence in a southeasterly direction [illegible] five (65) feet to the place of beginning, and being Jacobs sixth addition to the City of Lima, Ohio, and located on Bellefontaine avenue between Sugar and Oak streets, at the sum of twenty-three hundred and thirty-three ($2333 00) Dollars.

Appraised at $2333 00.

Terms of sale cash.

E. A. BOGART, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, March 18th, 1901.

T. B. HAMILTON, Plaintiff's Attorney.

A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve Grand Avenue, Between West Street and the Elida Road, by Grading the Same to the Established Grade.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima as follows.

Section 1. That it is necessary to improve Grand avenue in said city, between West street and the Elida road, by grading the same to the established grade.

Section 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. That the cost and expenses of such grading (less the proportionate cost and expenses of grading the public street and public alley intersections, and two per cent of the total cost, all of which shall be paid out of the general revenue of the city,) shall be levied and assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points and such assessment shall be made payable at such time or in such installments as may hereafter be determined and fixed by ordinance, and bonds of the city shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments.

Section 4. That E. D. Randall be and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution, in the manner prescribed by law upon the owner or owners of each separate lot or tract of land abutting upon said street between said points who are residents of Allen County, Ohio, except those who have signed the petition for said improvement and have thereby waived such notice.

R. E. DAVIS, President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Adopted March 11th, 1901.

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DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership heretofore existing between L. W. Mowery and E. W. Shuler, under the firm name of Mowery and Shuler, is this day dissolved by mutual agreement.

L. W. Mowery will continue the business, at 325 south Main street, Lima, Ohio.

L. W. Mowery assumes and will pay all debts of Mowery and Shuler, and will collect all debts and accounts due said firm.

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L. W. MOWERY.
E. W. SHULER

March 16, 1901. 32 3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 13. Case No. 10550. Page 218.

Mahala Coon, Plaintiff, vs. Bruce Geech et al., Defendants. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, A. D. 1901.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one-half (½) of the following described premises, situate in the City of Lima, County of Allen and State of Ohio to-wit: Being a part of inlots numbers twenty-eight hundred and forty-one and twenty-eight hundred and forty two (2841 and 2842) in Olimet's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty (30) feet west of the south east corner of inlot number twenty-eight hundred and forty-two (2842) on the north line of Albert street; thence north one hundred and six (106) feet to the north line of said inlot number twenty-eight hundred and forty-one (2841); thence west along the said north line of said lot thirty (30) feet; thence south one-hundred and six (106) feet to the north line of Albert street; thence east on said south line thirty (30) feet to the place of beginning, the same being situated on the north side of Albert street, between Pine street and Madison avenue, house No 511.

Appraised at $800.00.

Terms of sale cash.

E. A. BOGART, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, March 18th, 1901.

RIDENOUR & HALFHILL, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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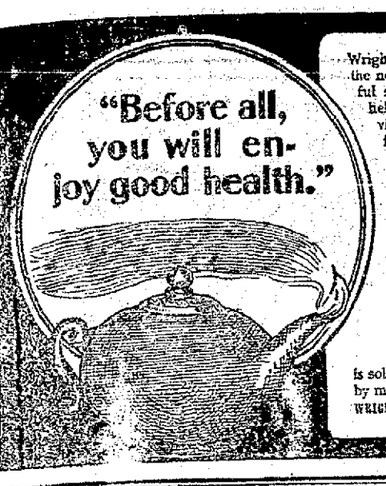

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CHURCH NEWS AND VIEWS.

There are 1,161 deaconesses in the Methodist Episcopal church. They use $2,000,000 worth of property. There are eighty deaconesses' institutions, sixteen of the number being hospitals. The sum of $105,419.91 was received during 1900 for the deaconess' institutions of America.

Julia Marlow being asked for her opinion of Sunday theatricals, answered: "Nobody should be compelled to work seven days a week, and players, owing to the emotional strain which their work involves, should of all people pay strict heed to the commandment which is intended to aid the spiritual, intellectual and physical growth of all Christendom."

The Interior regards the doctrine of the Covenant as one of the sound and sweet things of the old theology. The Covenant is, "I will be to you a God and ye shall be to me a people." The Covenant, it says, includes the family: "To you and your children." We accept it in its full and literal meaning, and have therefore no fear that the children of godly parents can ever become cast away.

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Christ cannot be followed by leaps and bounds, but rather step by step.

It is not part of the divine economy to give a dime where a dollar is due.

It is often impossible to both appease the conscience and to please the crowd.

God often has to weaken our bodies to make us see how dependent we are upon Him.

It is always easier to obey when Christ says "come up" than when He says "come down."—Ram's Horn.

NOTICE FOR PAROLE.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Hall, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, has been recommended to the Board by the Superintendent and Chaplin as worthy of consideration for parole or discharge.

Said application will be for hearing on and after April 16, 1901. 3013w*

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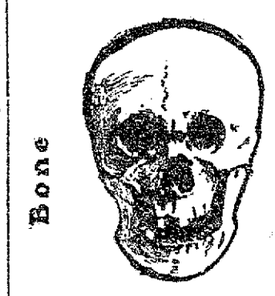

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION.

The qualified voters of the Democratic party of Allen county, Ohio, are hereby notified and requested to assemble at the usual voting places on Monday, the 1st day of April, A. D., 1901, and then and there vote by ballot for a nominee for the following county offices to be elected at the November A. D., 1901 election, to-wit:

One candidate for Representative.
One candidate for Sheriff.
One candidate for Treasurer.
One candidate for Commissioner.
One candidate for Infirmary Director.
One candidate for Coroner.

And also at the same time and place, and in the same manner vote for one candidate from Allen county (if any there be) for the purpose of determining Allen county's choice in the District Conventions for the following district officers, to be elected at the November, A. D. 1901 election to-wit:

One candidate for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and one candidate for State Senator.

The following rules have been adopted by the County Central Committee of said county for conducting said election:

First. The said primary election shall be held in each of the several townships, wards, and precincts within the county as near the usual voting places as can be, on Monday, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1901, between the hours of 5:30 o'clock a. m. and 5:30 o'clock p. m., standard time, and said primary election shall be held under the Australian Ballot Law, so conducted as to fully comply with the requirements of a resolution to that effect adopted by the Democratic County Convention held at Lima, Ohio, in April, A. D. 1897.

Second. The Central committeemen of the townships, wards and precincts shall designate two persons to serve as judges, one of whom shall be appointed the presiding judge, and one clerk of said election, for each precinct under their supervision, and shall on or before noon of March the 23d day, A. D. 1901, submit the names of the persons so appointed as judges and clerks to the secretary of the Central Committee, and the persons so appointed, shall on or before noon of March 30th, A. D. 1901, take and subscribe an oath that they will honestly, faithfully and impartially discharge their said duties and a true count and correct return make, of all the votes cast at said election. In case of the absence or in case of vacancy from any cause in either or both of said offices of judge or clerk, the Democrats present at the polls at the time for opening may select someone of their number to serve in the place of such absent judge or clerk, who shall first take the oath of office herein before prescribed, and thereupon be entitled to discharge all the duties of his said office.

Third. The following persons shall be deemed qualified and entitled to vote at said election: (1), All those who are known to be Democrats; (2), All those not known to be Democrats, who will pledge themselves to vote the entire Democratic ticket at the November, A. D., 1901, election; (3), All those who are not yet entitled to vote, but who will be entitled to vote at the November, A. D., 1901 election, who will pledge themselves as above.

Fourth. The judges and clerks of said election shall keep a correct poll-book which shall contain the names of all persons voting at said election; and they shall immediately after the closing of the polls and in the presence of such person or persons as may produce a certificate from any candidate for a county or district office showing that he or they have been selected to serve as an inspector on behalf of such candidate, preceed to count the ballots cast at said election and make a correct tally sheet of the same as at general elections, certifying at the end thereof the exact number of votes cast for each candidate, after which they shall sign and seal up such poll-books and tally-sheets and indorse the same to the chairman of the Central Committee and the same together with all contested ballots and ballots voted and unvoted delivered to the presiding judge whose duty it is hereby made to return the same to the chairman of the Central Committee not later than 10 o'clock, a. m., on Tuesday, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1901.

Said judges shall further upon demand made therefor by any one or more of the persons so appointed inspectors as aforesaid, make out and deliver to each such inspector so demanding the same, a true and correct statement of the result of such election in their precinct.

Fifth. The delegates elected to the county convention as hereinafter provided shall meet at the assembly room of the Court House in Lima, Ohio on Tuesday, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1901, at 10 o'cloc a. m., and after having duly organized, shall proceed to open and canvass the returns of said election, and the candidate for county office having received the greatest number of votes shall be declared to be the nominee for the office for which he is a candidate; and the candidate for district office having received the greatest number of votes shall be declared to be the unanimous choice and candidate of Allen county for the office for which he is a candidate, and by reason of said election under the resolution adopted by the county convention in April, A. D. 1897, be entitled to the unanimous vote of the Allen county delegation in such district convention, for nomination unless released from so voting by said candidate.

Sixth. Any and all Democrats desiring to be candidates for any of the foregoing county or district offices, will cause their names to be handed to the secretary of the Central Committee, on or before 3 o'clock p. m., of Saturday, March 16th, A. D., 1901, and then and there pay or cause to be paid to said secretary the amount assessed against them by the Central Committee, to defray the expense of such election. All such candidates will be further required to do and perform such other matters and things as the Central Committee, having regard for party good, may by resolution require of them.

The name of any candidate not paying such assessment or otherwise refusing to comply with the rules adopted by the Central Committee, will not appear upon the ticket.

Seventh. The Central Committee will on Saturday, March 30th, A. D., 1901, furnish and deliver to the persons appointed and qualified presiding judges as aforesaid all necessary tickets, poll-books and tally-sheets.

Tickets shall be printed on yellow paper. No tickets shall be given out to any person by the judges or clerks of said election until after the polls have been regularly opened, and but one ticket shall be given to any one voter, except that when the voter has improperly marked or mutilated the ticket handed to him he shall upon surrendering the same to the judges be entitled to receive another ticket, and so on until he has received three tickets, but no more than three tickets shall in any case be given to any one person.

Eighth. It is hereby made the duty of the several judges of said primary election to see that strict secrecy obtains throughout in the conduct of said election; that every voter mark his own ballot, except in the case of persons who are unable to read in which case it is made the duty of the judges to assist such voter; that no person or persons be permitted to remain in the booth or behind the guard rail for a longer period of time than five minutes; that no person or persons, after having voted be permitted to re-enter the booth or again go behind the guard rail for the purpose of influencing a voter; and especially that no candidate or worker for any of the candidates be permitted to enter a booth or go behind the guard rail, except to prepare and cast his individual ballot.

The qualified voters of the Democratic party of Allen county, Ohio, are hereby further notified and requested to assemble at the usual places of voting on the day of their respective township, ward and precinct caucuses (due notice of the time and place of holding which said caucuses shall be given by the Central Committeemen, by publication in some Democratic paper of the county, for at least ten days prior to the holding the same) and then and there vote by ballot for the election of such number of delegates to the Judicial, Senatorial and County Conventions for the year 1901, as such township, ward or precinct may be entitled to under the apportionment hereinafter made, and at the same time and in the same manner vote for the election of a member of the County Central Committee.

All Democrats desiring to be candidates for delegate to any of the district or county conventions, as also all Democrats desiring to be candidates for member of the Central Committee will cause their names to be handed to their present Central Committeeman, on or before noon of the Saturday preceding the day of holding such caucus and it is hereby made the duty of the several Central Committeemen to receive and make note of all the names so presented and to have the same printed on the proper ticket.

Apportionment.

Tp. Ward or Prec't	Judic'l	Senator'l	Co.
Amanda Tp.	2	2	8
Auglaize Tp., E.	1	1	4
Auglaize Tp. W.	1	1	4
Bath Tp.	2	2	8
German Tp.	2	2	7
Elida Special	1	1	4
Jackson Tp.	3	3	13
Landeck Prect.	1	1	6
Lima, 1st Ward, A.	3	3	12
Lima, 1st Ward, B.	3	3	12
Lima, 2d Ward	2	2	9
Lima, 3d Ward, A.	2	2	9
Lima, 3d Ward, B.	1	1	5
Lima, 4th Ward, A.	1	1	5
Lima, 4th Ward, B.	3	3	11
Lima, 4th Ward, C.	2	2	8
Lima, 5th Ward	3	3	12
Lima, 6th Ward, A.	1	1	6
Lima, 6th Ward, B.	1	1	7
Lima, 7th Ward, A.	3	3	10
Lima, 7th Ward, B.	2	2	7
Marion Tp.	3	3	10
Delphos, 1st Ward	2	2	8
Delphos, 2d Ward	2	2	8
Monroe Tp.	2	2	9
Perry Tp.	2	2	8
Richland Tp., Bluffton	3	3	12
Richland Tp., Beaverdam	3	3	12
Shawnee Tp.	2	2	8
Spencer Tp.	2	2	7
Sugar Creek Tp.	4	4	17
	1	1	4

The above and foregoing was adopted by the Democratic County Central Committee of Allen County, Ohio, at a meeting held at Lima, on February 9th, A. D. 1901.

C. A. GRAHAM, Chairman.
F. R. MASON, Secretary.

DO YOU FEEL LIKE THIS?

Pen Picture for Women.

"I am so nervous, there is not a well inch in my whole body. I am so weak at my stomach and have indigestion horribly, and palpitation of the heart, and I am losing flesh. This headache and backache nearly kills me, and yesterday I nearly had hysterics; there is a weight in the lower part of my bowels bearing down all the time, and pains in my groins and thighs; I cannot sleep, walk, or sit, and I believe I am diseased all over; no one ever suffered as I do."

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SCRAPS.

In the pupa state, the Hessian fly can scarcely be distinguished from a flaxseed.

The output of rice for this season in eastern Texas is not less than 30,000 tons.

The worker wasps, like the worker bees, are smaller than the queens or males.

The common house fly lays four times in each summer, each time about eighty eggs.

In Germany only 413 out of 1,000 males reach the age of fifty, while more than 500 out of 1,000 females reach that age.

There are about 1,200 islands and islets in the Philippine archipelago, many of which have never been visited by a white man.

The city authorities of Vienna have condemned the use of trailing skirts in public places, on hygienic grounds, because they sweep up the dust.

"Dry rot" is the putrefaction of the vegetable albumen in wood, and can be prevented only by some process of hardening or extracting this element.

The phrase "fin de siecle" has been replaced in Paris slang by "jeune siecle" (young century), the invention of which is attributed to a playwright.

Denver has an ordinance which prohibits operating an automobile at a speed greater than six miles an hour, and employs a mounted police to enforce it.

A famous ink long used in Germany was made of a combination of chromate of potash with a solution of logwood in the proportions of one part of the former to 1,000 parts of the latter.

When Hannibal's army descended from the Alps into the valley of Lombardy, the whole force was well nigh routed by a plague of mosquitoes, which drove men and animals almost wild with pain.

A New York police commissioner declared the other day that it was easier to hang a man for murder there than to dismiss a policeman. "Last year," he said, "the board had to pay out $130,000 in back salaries to men who had been reinstated by the courts."

What Shall We Have for Desert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer today. Try Jell-O, a delicious desert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking! add hot water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. 5

ODDS AND ENDS.

The first gold pens were made by hand in 1840, in the city of New York.

The branches of the Mississippi have an aggregate length of 15,000 miles.

The greatest waterfall is Niagara, which sends over 32,000,000 tons of water an hour.

The greatest cape in the world is Cape Horn, a precipitous mountain over 1,000 feet high.

The emigration of Irishmen to Great Britain for harvest has been steadily increasing for the last three years.

West Virginia, in allusion to its mountainous territory, has been denominated "The Switzerland of America."

The present debt of Chicago is $28,332,157. In 1892, before the Chicago fair, the debt of the city was $12,476,000.

In Vermont 129 towns are without a free library, and ninety-seven of that number have practically no public library.

The largest sponge ever sent to market was from the Mediterranean; it was ten feet in circumference and three in diameter.

Before 1850, Russia, Belgium and Holland produced no beet sugar; now these countries are important factors in the sugar markets of the world.

The Dowager Lady Flake, whose death was recently announced in London, was once the intimate friend of Thackeray, Jenny Lind and Dickens.

The passenger steamer in the world is Deutschland, which has [illegible] a day, with a consumption of 570 [illegible] of coal, almost a ton a mile.

Business is business, even with the faith cure people. A believer in Columbus, O., put himself under the care of a doctor in order to get sick benefits from his lodge, and then threw away the medicines which the physician prescribed.

Women love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock blood bitters makes pure blood.

Eccentric Bachelor's Vast Fortune.

Thirty years ago George Johnston, the "Laird of the Fife Isle Estate," near Dundee, made a vow that from that hour no human being should look upon his face. He religiously kept the strange vow. The servant who cooked his food placed it outside of his door, using a bell, and passed out of sight. Johnston has just died, leaving an estate worth £5,000,000. He was a bachelor, and a nephew is his heir.

CHEAP INSURANCE.

Many a man has been insured against Bright's disease, diabetes, or other dangerous ailments by a fifty cent bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

They Endured.

The Roman roads were built with a substratum of heavy blocks of the stone most abundant in the neighborhood, covered with a layer of smaller stones or gravel. They were highest in the middle, with a trench one each side to carry off the water, and no trees or shrubs were allowed to grow within 100 paces of either hand.

Professional Story-Tellers.

Professional story-tellers roam from house to house in Japan, to spin their yarns. In the city of Tokio there are about 600 of these professional romancers. Their pay averages 20 cents an hour. When the story-teller discovers that his romances are becoming dull from frequent repetition he moves into a new district.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. This Kind You Have Always Bought

Ardent Spirits in Kansas.

The announcement that "two-thirds of the drug stores in the state (Kansas) will have to go out of business if their licenses to sell ardent spirits for "medicinal use only" are withdrawn," recalls the old story of the big cowboy who came in town to fill a prescription. Swinging a fat two-gallon demijohn on to the counter he says to the clerk, briskly, "Fill her up, baby's sick."—Evening Wisconsin.

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Second Ward.
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Third Ward.
G. M. McCULLOUGH.
Fourth Ward.
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Fifth Ward.
ED. S. MOSES.
Sixth Ward.
FRED HEROLD.
Seventh Ward.
MICHAEL O'NEILL.

For Assessors.
First Ward.
WILLIAM GALLAGHER.
Second Ward.
JOHN NOONAN.
Third Ward.
P. P. SMITH.
Fourth Ward.
JOHN J. SULLIVAN.
Fifth Ward.
A. C. WOOD.
Sixth Ward.
FRANK PHINNEY.
Seventh Ward.
J. F. HUTCHINS.

For Members School Board.
First Ward.
JAMES DONAHUE.
Third Ward.
ANNIE DISMAN.
Fifth Ward.
JOEL SPYKER.
Seventh Ward.
H. S. PROPHET.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STATE SENATOR.

Please announce the name of J. B. SUNDERLAND as Allen County's candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN D. CRITES, of Elida, as a candidate for the endorsement of the Allen county Democracy at its April primary, as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator at the district convention.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of R. C. EASTMAN, of Lima, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY VAN GUNTEN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A. HEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. F. GETZ, of Bath township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primarp election.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. GENSEL as a candidate for renomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

ANOTHER TURN OF THE SCREW.

An advance of 2 per cent on the price of window glass is announced. This added to previous advances makes the price from 50 to 60 per cent. higher than it was a year ago. It is a practical example of the power of trusts to tax the people upon articles of prime necessity. By the consolidation of the manufactories the expense of management is decreased and should result in a decrease of prices. But a monopoly is created and the price is advanced at pleasure. Another factor for the oppression consists in shutting down at intervals certain of the plants so as to reduce the stock and make that the pretext for the raise in price. This not only mulets the consumer, but by the enforced idleness of the hands brings distress to many families.

This system of increasing the cost of window glass is on a par with the old English law which taxed each window pane in a house cutting off to that extent light from the dwellings of the poor and leading to the substitution of fish skins and oiled paper. Its abolishment marked a new era in Great Britain, just as the enthronement of the trusts is evidence of a retrogade from sound political economy in this country.

The fact that under the trust regime higher prices are exacted for American products at home than abroad is made manifest by a statement of Charles Thullen, a capitalist of Youngstown, O., who had a contract to supply steel rails to the Russian Trans-Siberian railway, and asked for prices from two companies in the trust. The prices offered were in the neighborhood of $26 per ton, with freight to be added. The contractor went to England and let the contract to a firm there. The firm asked for rates from one of the American companies to which Tullen had originally applied. The figures were now $24 a ton delivered. The English firm agreed then to deliver the rails to Thullen in Russia at this rate, with freight added, and the offer was accepted. This makes it clear that the heavily protected industries discriminate against home and in favor of foreign purchasers. There is but one remedy, and that is to repeal the tariff when it becomes a partner in what should be regarded as a criminal proceeding.

In Wyoming, Utah, Colorado and Idaho the women are full-fledged citizens, armed with theballot and able to count for as much in the election of all manner of officials as an equal number of men. In most of the other states they are only permitted to give their reasons why women should vote. In a very few they are permitted to vote for school officers, and in this state they can be electsd to school boards if the men are gallant enough to elect them. In Denver the women have nominated a municipal ticket composed of members of their own sex, and if the women stand solidly by their own ticket it should win, because she must be a woman without influence who can't persuade at least one man to vote her ticket. The result of the Denver election will be watched with not a little interest as a test of the real desire of women as a class to participate in politics.

On April 23rd next the people of Alabama will determine at the polls the question whether a constitutional convention shall be held in May for the purpose of retiring the negro from politics in that state, as he has been retired in Mississippi, Louisiana and South Carolina.

"Hamlet" Without the Dane.

Marcus A. Hanna was a conspicuous figure at the inauguration. Without him the ceremonies would have been like a production of "Hamlet" with the part of the melancholy Dane stricken out.—Exchange.

Goodby, Bill!

Goodby, Bill Chandler! You were one of the chief thieves of the presidency 24 years ago. "Time at last sets all things even."—Kansas City Times.

STARTLING PROPHECY.

President Hadley of Yale Fears For the Republic.

SEES EMPEROR AT WASHINGTON.

Our Institutions Menaced by the Growth of the Spirit of Imperialism—Public Sentiment Must Be Created to Fight the Trusts—Business Morals at a Low Ebb.

"We shall have an emperor in Washington within 25 years unless we can create a public sentiment which, regardless of legislation, will regulate the trusts!"

With that sentiment President Hadley of Yale university startled a congregation largely made up of the richest church society in New England—the Old South of Boston. President Hadley delivered the third in a course of Lenten addresses in the Old South by college presidents, and his specific topic was "The Development of a Public Conscience." He said:

"How do things stand as regards the need of a public conscience in this country today? The American standard of personal morality is, on the whole, high as compared with other nations and other ages. We have developed personal virtues through individual conscience very well.

"But our actions in politics and in a social and business sense proved our moral standards in these directions desperately low.

"There is an appalling contrast between our methods of dealing with each other as individuals and the low standard observed in dealings between different parts of the whole organization of society. Competition used to prevent a man from practicing great extortion upon his neighbors even if he wanted to, and in politics we once had at least a rough form of relative justice.

"But today, with our industries organized into trusts and the imperialistic spirit developing in politics, the general development of the principle of trusteeship will become appalling unless we cultivate a higher standard of morality than ever before.

"Legislation will never protect us from the evils of trusts or of deteriorated politics. The essence of a trust is that you must trust the head of it to exercise his power wisely or to abuse it, according to the kind of conscience he possesses.

"Trusts have got to be regulated by public sentiment, and that public sentiment is not merely the opinion of any particular part of the whole people, but is a readiness to accept in behalf of the community restrictions independent of the question of whether you or I shall be personally harmed by these restrictions.

"You say the community will not be governed by this principle. We must expect that the community will, however, for the alternative is an emperor in Washington within 25 years. Public affairs can no longer be played as a game, but must be directed by an intelligent and active public conscience. Individual effort is helpless and hopeless.

"This is the opportunity of the church, hungry for something to do. Its function as a disseminator of information has been appropriated largely by the press.

"The church has the sympathy of the best men and must proceed to make Christianity and patriotism synonymous and both synonymous of the world's progress.

"The public conscience must be awakened as 1,900 years ago Christ awakened it, and it can be done if we continue to preach the gospel which he preached."

Gag Law in the Senate.

Hanna is the mainspring of this attempt to gag the United States senate. At the time of the defeat of the ship subsidy bill by Democratic debate he made threats that such a thing should not happen again and declared that the senate rules would be so altered as to set the minority at defiance. The result is apparent. He will have the aid of Vice President Roosevelt in his scheme, for Roosevelt will be glad to pose as a man of iron and will delight in being the medium of applying the gag to the senate.

He is able to do all the necessary talking himself. He has begun by a totally unprecedented use of the personal pronoun "I" in his senate rulings.—Boston Traveler.

Abrogating Treaties.

The British foreign office, it is said, is not disturbed by the speeches made in the senate on the Nicaragua canal question. "They are dismissed with the remark that treaties cannot be abrogated without the consent of both the contracting parties." "Cheer up," said the lawyer to his client. "They can't put you in jail for that." "Maybe they can't," replied the victim through the bars, "but they have." Whether treaties "can" be abrogated or not, we know of one that will be.—New York Journal.

Silver Remains Silver.

The movement to make silver redeemable in gold, which played such a part in the recent election, has fallen by the wayside.

The wonder is that business remains unaffected thereby. There are a good many roorbacks in the presidential cabinet besides the Nicaraguan bill.—Atlanta Constitution.

Has Been Worked Before.

It will be recalled that the jawbone was exploited by the Samson family before the first navy was built.—Washington Post.

THE ISTHMIAN CANAL.

McKinley Has a Chance to Show if He Has a Backbone.

It is intimated from Washington that President McKinley and Secretary Hay will try to negotiate a new canal treaty with England. Of course there is no harm in their trying. The country is really not much interested in their efforts, feeling quite capable of constructing its canal without England's permission. It certainly has no intention either of binding itself not to defend its own canal or of giving away any American territory to induce any European country to withdraw obstructive objections to the enterprise.

President McKinley has an excellent opportunity now to show whether he has been developing a perceptible backbone. If our position is wrong, it ought to be abandoned. If it is right, as we believe it is, it ought to be maintained. When a question of American rights is involved, there is no reason why Mr. McKinley should stand any more in awe of King Edward VII than of Aguinaldo.

A London correspondent tells us that there is "no note of triumph in the articles which have appeared in the English press on the rejection of the senate amendments to the canal treaty." We should think not. A country which possesses the greatest maritime commerce in the world and which sees its rulers throw away a chance to secure a guarantee of a free field for that commerce in a mighty interoceanic waterway built at the expense of another nation has no particular reason for feeling triumphant. Our power of levying discriminating tolls is a tremendous weapon. The time may come when England will be willing to bid high for an agreement on our part not to use it.—New York Journal.

MARK HANNA'S REVENGE.

Gratified His Spite Against Opponents of Ship Subsidy.

There is no pretense whatever that the killing of the river and harbor bill was done by the purchasable politician to whom Montana refused to give another term in the senate through any other motive than to gratify the spite and malevolence of the Republican boss against the men who blocked his ship subsidy steal and whose constituencies were interested in the passage of the first named measure, says the Kansas City Times.

Hanna openly threatened two weeks before congress ended that he would do this. That the president has served as the instrument of vengeance for his bosom friend and political maker and that Carter acted in obedience to a direct command from the executive are acknowledged in the following statement made by the St. Louis Hanna organ on the morning of March 5: "The course adopted by Senator Carter was not a personal movement to force irrigation upon the treasury. It was dictated by high authority. It prevented a veto by President McKinley. The scaling of the appropriations in the senate committee on commerce did not lessen the dangerous tendency of the numerous objectionable items toward log rolling extravagance that the executive considered scandalous. Neither did the scaling soothe the irritation which Senator Hanna nourished in his mind against those who had aided in the defeat of the ship subsidy bill."

Hanna has been avenged and "Tool" Carter was rewarded with a fat government job by Mr. McKinley, the unselfish statesman and lofty patriot.

OVERSHOT THE MARK.

McKinley's Self Satisfaction In His Inaugural.

President McKinley has some reason for feeling self satisfied, and yet self satisfaction sometimes overshoots the mark, says the Kansas City Times.

Among other things he said in his inaugural address, "Distrust of the capacity, integrity and high purposes of the American people will not be an inspiring theme for future political contests," as though there had been, by the opposition to his re-election, expressed a distrust of the capacity, integrity and high purposes of the American people.

Of course this is not true. The indictment of the opposition was not an indictment of the American people. In the first place, only a little more than one-half of the people voted for Mr. McKinley, and it is safe to say that not much more than one-half of these agreed with the foreign policy of the federal administration. If the money question had been eliminated from the campaign, on the un-American course of Mr. McKinley and his cabinet in regard to the Philippines and the South Africa wars Mr. McKinley would have been beaten out of his boots.

It is quite convenient on occasion to say "Vox populi vox Dei" and "We are the people," yet lines of discrimination may sometimes be fairly drawn between the two declarations.

Frye an Honest Salesman.

The ship subsidy bill is but a part of the odious system of governmental paternalism fostered by the Republican party. Under that system the managers of the party farm out to favored manufacturers the privilege of taxing the people for the benefit of the favored manufacturers. The shipowners contributed liberally to the Republican campaign fund last year, and naturally enough they want the party that sold itself to them to deliver the goods. When capital buys a party, it wants control of what it has bought. Senator Frye evidently was an honest salesman.—Toledo Bee (Rep.).

Waiting For Second Wind.

Don't believe that Hanna has given up the ship subsidy fight. He's only getting his second wind for a hot finish.

HAT

Sent Back From the Philippines

As a Souvenir

Will be Highly Prized By Recipient.

H. W. Burrel, Engineer on Steam Shovel, Injured at Lafayette, Ind.

Bert Hammond Contemplates Remaining in Prescott, Oregon. Other News From the South Side.

J. R. Rakestraw Co., weather report.—Tomorrow, cloudy, with frequent snow and rain.

Mrs. H. W. Burrell, of east Second street, was last night called to Lafeyette, Ind., on account of an accident that befell her husband, who is engineer on the steam shovel there.

Mrs. John Garlinger and mother, of Bluffton, arrived in the city yesterday, to be the guests of relatives for a few days.

John Garlinger, sr., and son Clarence, of Ada, are the guests of Lima friends.

Miss Winnifred Black, after a several weeks visit with relatives in this locality will return to her home in Ada, tomorrow.

Mrs. F. Fryback and children have returned from a visit with her parents at Montpelier, Ind.

Many local friends of Mrs. T. B. Black, of Kenton, will be pleased to learn the sale of "Heart Whispers," a small book of original poems placed on the market lately, is meeting with success surpassing first expectations. She will probably enter upon more extensive lines in the poetic field.

Bert Hammond, who went to Prescott, Arz., several months ago, communicates he likes his new home immensely, having much of interest to relate regarding his new surroundings. He contemplates opening a dental parlor there. His friends will be glad to learn of his progress.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean, of St. Johns avenue is quite ill.

Farmer Crackenbush has surprised his friends by his wedding lately to a young lady at Ft. Wayne, Ind. It is understood they will leave the first of April for Wyoming, where Farmer will be foreman upon a large sheep ranch owned by his uncle.

Miss Goldie Young, has accepted a position at Crabb's candy factory on south Main street.

Miss Ottieline De Witt, has received from H. H. Smith, serving in the Philippines, a campaign hat that is a history in itself. It contains the company roster, brief notes of engagements participated in by the owner, besides other interesting minutes. The work is done with pen and ink which were also used for embellished the souvenir.

Some of his friends in this locality heard recently from W. E. Baker, well known in this vicinity, informing them he will soon close a term of school in Koscuisko county, Indiana, over which he has presided for some time as principal and will engage in the practice of law at Milford, Ind. Mr. Baker has a large number of professional and other friends in this city who will be glad to learn of his success.

Mrs. Joseph Engle, of Ada, is visiting with Lima friends a few days.

A. E. Dean, residing on St. Johns avenue, is improving nicely from the effects of an operation for cancer upon his arm. The operation was very successful. Mr. Dean it is thought will soon be able to resume his office duties.

Mrs. N. E. Shaw, of Franklin street, is reported quite ill.

H. S. Mabby, of south Main street, was at Forest yesterday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Leedom is seriously ill at her Greenlawn avenue home.

Mr. Smith, the south Main street merchant, is convalescent from his recent illness.

Rev. J. W. Mills delivered a pleasing discourse at Grace M. E. church last night before a large audience. After the church services, quarterly meeting was held. The meetings were satisfactory and successful.

James Hyland, of south Main street, who has been confined to his home a considerable time by a severe attack of rheumatism, is much improved, being able to be out today.

Dr. Briggs returned today to his home at Kenton, after a several days business visit in this locality.

A SUIT OF WHITE.

IN every cake of Ivory Soap there are 100 complete suits of rich, creamy lather. Before dressing, put on a suit of Ivory Soap. Cover the entire body from head to foot with lather. Take the suit off with tepid water and you will remove with it all the impurities of the body which have been carried to the surface through the pores. Use a pure soap for this.

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D. Primer is very ill at his home on east Second street.

Mrs. John O. Thompson is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe at her home on east Vine street.

Mrs. Thomas Strohl is a victim of malarial fever at her home on Second street.

Having had a pleasant visit with Mrs. Sophia Armstrong, of St. Johns avenue, Mrs. Mary Frank and daughter have returned to their home at St. Marys.

Daniel Baker is home from a business stay at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

W. W. White, who has been in Chicago the past few days on important business, has returned home.

The Ladies Aid society of Grace M. E. church, held a well attended and profitable meeting at the home of Mrs. William Osborn last night. Considerable important business was transacted.

Tomorrow evening Stella lodge of Rebekah will give a farewell reception to W. A. Morris and family, who will leave soon for California, also, Richard Verbryke and family, who will leave shortly for North Baltimore, where taey will reside in the future. Guests are requested to bring well filled baskets.

After several weeks illness, Mrs. Sophia Resser, of west Kibby street, convalescing.

Miss Maggie Richards, of Toledo, is the guest of south Lima friends.

Mrs. John Jones, of Gomer, is a guest at the home of Josiah Williams.

At the home of Doc Brunner last night the Once a Week club enjoyed a very happy evening. A musical program well rendered was the chief feature. The next meeting will be held at the home of Al Meckling, on St. Johns avenue, next Thursday evening.

Mrs. William Wyatt, of west Vine street, has recovered from a two weeks illness.

The many frends of Mrs. Roberts, of south Elizabeth street, will be pleased to learn she has completely recovered form the effects of an operation at Cincinnati recently.

Mrs. Will Keiffer, of Forrest avenue, who underwent a second surgical operation last Sunday, under the skill of Dr. Walton, of Cincinnati, is improving rapidly, and her complete recovery is now insured. Her mother is here from Wapakoneta, caring for her.

Miss Dora Carpenter, who makes her home with her sister, Mrs. Marie Rollison, of Holmes avenue, is very dangerously ill, suffering from an attack of Bright's disease. There is very grave hopes entertained for her recovery.

Mrs. Daniel Murry, of Havery, Montana, arrived in the city yesterday for a protracted visit with relatives in south Lima. She was to have been here much sooner but was prevented by the terrible blizzards which rendered traveling impossible for awhile. This is the first time in ten years she has visited relatives here. She is well known in this vicinity, her husband being engaged in business on the south side in the early days.

Local friends and relatives of Edward Sanders, residing at Sistersville, West Va., will be sorry to know of his six months-old baby being burned to death at his home sometime ago. The fire which destroyed his home did $2,500 damage. His terrible misfortune is deplorable.

L. Harrod writes the Huffman brothers of south Main street, interestingly of his campaign in China. He is tired of soldering, and longs to come home to old Lima.

SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY.

Riches have wings, but poverty has spurs.

The less some men know the more they tell.

The politician with a pull is strictly in the push.

The best safe for a man's money is a prudent wife.

The average woman is a conundrum that keeps men guessing.

Ignorance occasionally borrows garments and poses as wisdom.

Many people take your advice—but few of them make use of it.

Women never discuss anything at a club meeting; they just talk.

A boy's first trousers and a man's first love are soon outgrown.

It's hard to convince an honest man that the world is full of thieves.

There is some excuse for the man who honestly admits that he is lazy.

The failure of one man is often the beginning of another man's success.

A scientist has discovered that housecleaning is caused by a microbe.

When the chronic bore doesn't feel well it is apt to be a lingering illness.

A sweet heart is a charming fancy, but a wife is very apt to be a solemn fact.

A gentleman doesn't forget his manners the moment he enters his own door.

We have three kinds of people in the world; the wills, the won'ts and the can'ts.

Love is responsible for a lot of earthly misery by being elsewhere when wanted.

Some writers suffer from cramp in the fingers and others from cramp in the brain.

A man who understands women is willing to admit that he doesn't understand them.

Many a man imagines he is in the glare of publicity when the public isn't aware of his existence.

Some men seem to have reached the pinnacle of their ambition when they are able to lie like a circus poster.

Says a Kentucky obituarist of his subject: "She was wafted into the gloom of eternal night at 6 o'clock in the morning."

TO BUY NOW

Means a big saving on Muslin Underwear at G. E. Bluem's this week.

LITERARY NOTES.

It is announced that William D. Howells intends to write a story dealing with New Orleans life.

Miss Wilkins is the last of the story writers to receive the honor of dramatization. Her historical romance, "The Heart's Highway," has been put into shape for stage production.

The comfortable sum of $40,000 has been set aside to be given to the author of the literary work which the Swedish academy shall consider to be the most noteworthy from the idealist point of view. The period set for nominations—by Swedish, French and Spanish academies—has almost expired.

After the recent publication of so many books dealing with the serious aspects of war, it is interesting to learn that the Appletons have in preparation a volume which is to bear the title, "War's Brighter Side." This will be the joint work of Rudyard Kipling, Conan Doyle, Julian Ralph, Lord Stanley and others.

See J. L. Steiner's grocery ad on eighth page, for free trading stamps.

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CASE

;ainst Miss Helen Caldwell

Dismissed

Second Time in a Justice's Court.

ufficiency of the Affidavit the Grounds of the Motion

ch Was Filed by the Defense nd Sustained by Justice Atmur—New Affidavit to be Filed at Once.

e case of the state against Miss n V. Caldwell, the school teacher has twice had affidavits filed nst her charging that she "cruelly unlawfully did punish" Norman cQuown, one of the pupils of her ol, is destined to go through an r preliminary course in a Justice's r before the merits or demerits he action are finally determined. case was first dismissed by ge F. E. Duffield, because of an fficiency of the affidavit and on uary 28, a new affidavit was filed ustice M. A. Atmur's court, by ney Adgate and Ridenour & ell, again charging Miss Cald- with having "cruelly and unlaw- punished" the 14-year-old Mc- n boy. On March 2d, the at- eys for the defense, Motter, Mac- rie & Wendock and Richie & ne entered a plea of not guilty for defendant. Then there was a de- of considerable time occasioned he attorneys on both sides of the failing to agree upon a date for ing. Today however, the attor- for the defense filed and argued a ion to have the case dismissed on grounds that the affidavit in alleg- that the defendant did "cruelly unlawfully punish" the young of pupil, did not sufficiently spe- the charges. Attorneys Motter Richie argued on behalf of the ion and attorney Ridenour argued nst it being sustained. The de- e won the point however, Justice er sustaining the motion and dis- ing the action.

e attorneys for the prosecution mptly notified the court and the at- eys for the defense that a new af- vit would immediately be prepared filed.

e alleged offense of Miss Caldwell committed on November 8, of last and the action against her was ituted by the boy's mother, Mrs. nie McQuown.

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NOTICE B. P. O. ELKS.

here will be a meeting of great ortance next Thursday night. It be of importance to each member e are all equally interested. We you there. By order of the trus- 3-3t.

EXAMINER

Stationary Engineers Will be Here Tomorrow.

e Times-Democrat is requested notify those concerned, that as Winship, state examiner of n engineers, of the second dis- of Ohio, will be at the Norval l, this city, on March 22, and 23, xamine and issue licenses to onary engineers. Engineers are ested to meet Mr. Winship at the al.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!
Wood's fuel store, 700 south street. sat-th-sat

e J. L. Steiner's grocery ad on th page, for free trading stamps.

DEATH

Saddens the Home of Ex-Sheriff Fisher.

Long Illness of Mrs. Fisher Ended This Morning.

The Deceased Had Been in Poor Health for Some Time—Death Had Been Anticipated for two Weeks.

Mrs. Martha Jane Neff Fisher, wife of ex-Sheriff Aaron Fisher, died at their residence on west Spring street, at 10:45 o'clock this morning, death terminating an illness of long duration. Mrs. Fisher had been in poor health for some time and during the last two weeks her condition was so critical that the worst was constantly feared. The cause of death was lung and kidney trouble.

Mrs. Fisher was quite an old resident of Lima and had a wide circle of warm friends and acquaintances throughout the city. She was born in Muskingum county, O., and reached the age of fifty years and six months. Her first husband died quite a number of years ago and about a year and a half ago she became the wife of ex-Sheriff Fisher. Her husband and his sons, Doit, of this city, and Arthur Fisher, of Delphos: one daughter, Mrs. Cliff Bailer, of Delphos, and one adopted daughter, Nellie Fisher, survive her as do also her two sons B. L. and C. J. Neff, and three daughters, Misses Blanche and Bessie Neff, and Mrs. Milt. Reed, of this city.

Funeral services will be held at Trinity M. E. church, Saturday afternoon, but all arrangements have not yet been completed. Mrs. Fisher was a woman of lovable disposition and noble traits of character and her death saddens many hearts.

PRIVATE

Services Over the Remains of Howard G. Hyde

Were Conducted at 10 O'clock A. M. Elks Went in a Body to Take a Last View of the Dead Brother.

A large number of the local Elks marched in a body to the late home of Howard G. Hyde at nine o'clock this morning on Pierce street, and paid a last farewell to him, who was once a popular favorite and a beloved brother of the order. An hour later private services were conducted by Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, of Christ Episcopal church and the six intimate friends, who had a year ago lowered the body of Mrs. Hyde into the grave, bore the remains of the husband to their final resting place by her side. The pall bearers were James Henry, Joseph Dowling, F. A. Hume, R. L. Bates, Frank Sargent and Frank Baxter.

WOMAN'S FASHION FRILLS.

For dressy occasions ivory cloth is made up with cluny lace and touches of gold.

Moire antique imprime is a luxurious fabric having roses and leaves printed on the white moire ground.

Robe dresses are exhibited in endless variety in the shops, combining laces, nets, silks and soft, dainty woolens.

The intimation comes from Paris that the old reliable gray and black homespun is to be the fashionable thing for early spring. Some very stunning costumes are being made of it. The fabric is no fancy variety of the useful old fashioned weave, but is one and the same thing.

A new all over from which one might fashion a stunning waist is made mostly of ribbon. Lengths of heavy creamy white satin ribbon, a good half inch in width, are set together with gold thread in a fancy stitch, the ribbons being held a good eighth of an inch apart.

See J. L. Steiner's grocery ad on eighth page, for free trading stamps.

A wheelman's tool bag isn't complete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.

TO THE PUBLIC.

On and after this date the Shawnee Bowling Club room will be open to the public at regular club prices.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT GIVES ITS READERS THE NEWS EACH EVENING WHILE IT IS FRESH. THE "TRAILER" GIVES IT NEXT DAY, WHEN IT HAS BECOME STALE.

DENY

The Reported Sale of C. H. & D.

Only a Rumor

Without Any Foundation in Fact,

Declare the Officials Who Were Interviewed on the Subject.

Should There be a Transfer of the Property There Would Likely be Few, if Any, Official Changes Made.

Local C. H. & D. officials are not inclined to take very much stock in the reported sale of the road and its absorption by the Morgan syndicate. There have been so many transfers reported that were found in the end to have been based purely on imagination that those who are at the head of affairs on this division are inclined to dispute the correctness of the negotiations. The TIMES-DEMOCRAT talked to several of the local officials and while they all were of the opinion that the reported deal is only a newspaper story, they did hesitate to say that but little if any disturbance would be occasioned if the published facts were in the end found to be true.

There would perhaps be a reconstruction at the fountain head, but since the present showing of the road could not very well be improved upon, so long as the present facilites remain as they are, it is very likely that under the new management, the present efficient force of officials from General Superintendent Turner down would be retained. Should the Morgan interests really get control there would be the usual heavy expenditure of money to improve the property and the present heads of departments would scarcely be in any great danger of losing their official positions.

Following up the rumor which was published broadcast yesterday, the Cincinnati Enquirer of this morning has this additional chapter, which shows that the highest officials of the road do not have any faith in the proposed absorption of the property:

Third street was interested yesterday says the Cincinnati Enquire, in the report that the control of the C. H. & D. had been sold in New York to J. P. Morgan & Co., as set forth in the Enquirer. While there was further confirmation of the report yesterday from good sources there was the usual official denial that always comes with what the railroad officials term premature announcement. The denial yesterday came from Henry F. Shoemaker, who dropped into the New York office of P. J. Goodhart & Co. and asked them to have E. L. Heinsheimer, of the Cincinnati office of the same firm, deny the atory. Mr. Shoemaker said that there was no truth in the story that the Southern railway had bought the C. H. & D., and asked to have it denied in his name. As stated above, however, in spite of this denial by Mr. Heinsheimer there was a reiteration of the story from an excellent source. It must be noted, too, that the Enquirer says that J. P. Morgan or General Samuel Thomas bought the road, with chances in favor of Morgan. While Morgan controls the Southern railway it may still be a fact that the Southern railway has not bought the C. H. & D., but that Morgan has done it as J. P. Morgan & Co.

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WILL MEET TONIGHT.

The members of the floral team will meet for practice in the drill hall at Masonic temple this evening at 7 o'clock. JENNIE WEST, Sec'y.

THE IDLER.

The local lodge of Elks will hold an important session this evening.

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The Democratic city central committee will meet in the office of chairman Copeland, Holmes block, tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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A half gross of Buffalo buttons which were ordered by the chancellor of the order arrived yesterday morning and were all disposed of before evening. A full gross was ordered by wire yesterday from Philadelphia and will probably be here tonight so that all may be supplied. The button represents a miniature Buffalo in rolled gold, showing the shaggy mantle and the single eye is an imitation emerald or ruby. It makes an attractive button and the cost is so small that the demand is all the greater.

THE REMAINS

Of Andrew Settlemire Reach Here This Afternoon.

The remains of Andrew Settlemire, who died in the south, will reach Lima at four o'clock this afternoon and will be taken to the residence of Frank Morris, on west Market street. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

BATTLESHIP

Massachusetts Grounded In Shallow Water Off Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., March 21.—While proceeding to sea this morning, bound for Culebra bay, the battleship Massachusetts sheered from the channel and grounded in twenty feet of water. It is thought the ship can be released at high tide, at six o'clock this afternoon. She lies in an easy position.

IT IS THE WAY YOU USE IT.

It's the Method Employed Which Makes Success or Failure.

One man with pen, ink and paper can produce a landscape, another man with same pen and ink may not be able to write his own name legibly. It is all in knowing how.

It is quite true in the use of medicines. The same remedy we have today have existed for thousands of years, but if their existence was known the knowledge of how to use them was lacking.

They became valuable to the human race only when experiment and science showed the way to use them to get results.

The grip is an old disease with a new name; it is really catarrhal in character and the usual symptoms are those of acute catarrh, but the old time catarrh powders, salves and sprays do not cure it, neither does the application of antiseptics through an inhaler give anything more than relief for a short time.

The antiseptics are all right; they will kill the germs of catarrh and grip if they are applied rightly, but their local application to the nose and throat avail little because the germs are in the blood and through the whole system.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain many of these same antiseptics, that are used in sprays and inhalers, but instead of applying them to the inflamed membranes of the nose and throat, they are taken into the stomach and thus reach the blood, the real seat of the disease and drives out the infectious germs through the natural channels of the bowels and kidneys.

In other words Stuart's Catarrh Tablets reach the cause of the mischief instead of merely local symptoms.

The remarkable success of these tablets in curing grip, catarrh and throat and lung troubles is because they drive the catarrhal poison from the system and the nose and throat become clear of the excessive secretion of mucus, which causes the hawking, spitting and gagging, because the secretion is not supplied from healthy blood.

Two years ago, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were unknown but today have become so popular through positive merit that druggists everywhere in the United States, Canada and Great Britain now sell them.

Fresh, Smoked, Spiced and Salted Fish at Townsend's.

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At 38c a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	48c
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At 79c a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	98c
At 88c a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	$1.10
At 95c a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	1.15
At $1.00 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	1.25
At 1.15 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	1.39
At 1.25 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	1.65
At 1.39 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	1.75
At 1.50 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	2.00
At 1.75 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	2.25
At 2.00 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	2.85
At 2.25 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	3.00
At 2.50 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	3.48
At 3.50 a pair, Nottingham Curtains which have been	4.25
At 2.98 a pair, Swiss Net Curtains which have been	4.00
At 3.50 a pair, Swiss Net Curtains which have been	5.00
At 3.75 a pair, Swiss Net Curtains which have been	5.50
At 3.98 a pair, Swiss Net Curtains which have been	6.00
At 4.00 a pair, Brussels Curtains which have been	6.00
At 4.50 a pair, Brussels Curtains which have been	6.50
At 5.50 a pair, Brussels Curtains which have been	7.25
At 5.00 a pair, White Irish Point Curtains which have been	6.50
At 6.00 a pair, White Irish Point Curtains which have been	7.50
At 6.50 a pair, White Irish Point Curtains which have been	8.25
At 7.00 a pair, White Irish Point Curtains which have been	9.00
At 7.50 a pair, White Irish Point Curtains which have been	10.50
At 2.00 a pair, Ruffled Net Curtains which have been	2.75
At 3.00 a pair, Ruffled Net Curtains which have been	3.75
At 3.50 a pair, Ruffled Net Curtains which have been	4.25
At 3.95 a pair, Ruffled Net Curtains which have been	5.00
At 5.00 a pair, Ruffled Net Curtains which have been	7.00
At 50c a pair, Ruffled Muslin Curtains which have been	69c
At 75c a pair, Ruffled Muslin Curtains which have been	98c
At 89c a pair, Ruffled Muslin Curtains which have been	$1.10
At $1.25 a pair, Ruffled Muslin Curtains which have been	1.69

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TO REST

The Remains of Mrs. Louise Van Cleve are Consigned.

The funeral of Mrs. S. W. Van Cleve was held from the residence, 825 west Market street, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. W. G. Waters and Rev. A. D. Whitlock officiating. The services were largely attended and were very imprsesive. The pall bearers were F. W. Drake, E. C. Curtin, John Kerr, L. Justus, W. L. Mackenzie, and F. D. Closser. The burial in Woodlawn cemetery was conducted privately.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE at G. E. Bluem's this week.

F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

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FOR RENT—House on West street, near High. Possession given April 1st. Inquire ot once at Times-Democrat office. tf

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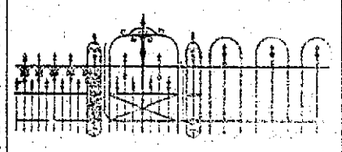
LOST—A setter bird dog; white, with black head and ears, with white stripe down the nose; black spot on right side and black spot on top of hips; leather collar. Finder please call at W. K. Boone Co., and receive reward. J. W. Blackburn. 34-3t*



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OLD ENGLISH BRIDGES

TOO MANY OF THEM ARE BEING REMOVED.

Can Be Strengthened — Ancient Structures in Many Cases Show Surface Wear Alone—Founuations Are Solid—Wonderful Roman Works.

(London Letter)

At present there are in England many hundreds of old bridges which are very much in need of champions. The society which exists for the protection of ancient buildings has just issued an appeal to save an old Gothic bridge at Aylesford, over the Medway, which is threatened with destruction because it is inconvenient for the new heavy steam traction Properly strengthened, and with sidewalks of timber added, as is done on many old bridges on the continent, it will do as well for centuries to come as for the seven centuries during which it has stood But the best protection of all is public opinion Examples of the good and serviceable old bridges of England are not difficult to find. Among them all here is hardly one bad one

Many Varieties of Bridges.

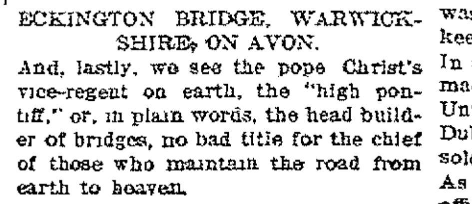
They are of all kinds and calibers, from that which Sir Hugh Clopton built over the Avon at Stratford and the old London bridge with its twen-

NEW BRIDGE ON THE THAMES.

ty-two arches through various sizes, like the quaint little stone bridges over the Windrush at Bourton-on-the-Water, down to those of mixed stone and wood, such as that, now destroyed, at Castle Eaton on the Thames, or the tiny bridgelets with one handrail on footpath causeways by the roadside, where freshets were wont to break out in winter and wet the village girls' shoes They are infinitely various and except the churches there are no structures in England so good so full of familiar story, or so old It is a thousand pities that they should ever be removed, where sensible advice can be had whereby the old fabric can be made strong enough for new wants But if the old bridges have to go the examples of their varied and sound design may suggest ideas and models for the new ones The county councils are now very accessible to any sensible proposal for retaining historical buildings and are aware that if iron girders and blue clink are poor substitutes for the old ones But there is plenty of evidence that the mischief is already begun and that where old bridges are not pulled down, hideous new ones are often built without regard to good models close by Two of the very worst instances are the new brick bridge over the Wey at Godalming, and the blue clinker arches which now cover what was the loveliest of little roadside fords over the Chess just below Lord Chesham's house at Latimer.

Wonderful Roman Works.

The Romans, who were the first great bridge-builders in Europe, built the oldest in England as a necessary part of their military roads They had a conscience about roads and bridges, just as Frontinus, waterworks engineer to the Emperor Nerva, had about his aqueducts The oldest guild of early Rome were the pontifexes, the makers of bridges. It became a great and honorable society, like the Elder Brethren of the Trinity House Later it was made a close corporation for aristocratic heads of the state The emperors took the name of Pontifex Maximus as one of their titles of honor



ECKINGTON BRIDGE, WARWICKSHIRE, ON AVON.

And, lastly, we see the pope Christ's vice-regent on earth, the "high pontiff," or, in plain words, the head builder of bridges, no bad title for the chief of those who maintain the road from earth to heaven.

Roman and Gothic Bridges.

Several old bridges in the north of England are believed to be Roman, among them Swarkestone bridge in Derbyshire. But the greater number of the more ancient structures were originally Gothic, or are renewals of bridges made in the middle ages One of the most curious points about them is that though they are known to have been built in the days when every architect in England used pointed arches, nearly all of them have rounded arches and differ very little in general design from the rules laid down by Palladio for bridge building Possibly some of these bridges were mostly made in the first place with stone piers and wooden tops, like the bridge at Castle Eaton, and the round arches were added later. A perfect and most delightful surviving Gothic bridge, in which the pointed stone arches remain, is that at New Bridge on the Thames, opposite Fyfield in Berkshire Leland says that it was the oldest bridge on the river. It was built by a Sir John Golafe, 1420. He had a manor house near at Fyfield, and during floods in the winter the approach to the river was probably overflowed and the bridge must have been an immense convenience, though ferries were then less objectionable than now, because nearly every one traveled on horseback, and luggage was carried on pack horses instead of in carts

Bridge Defenses.

The most important of the mediaeval bridges were defended by one or more gates and towers Those on old London bridge were the regular place of exhibition for the heads of traitors And even more common, and indeed the most usual, equipment of those of any size was a little chapel, generally set on the center pier. Old London bridge had one, so had that at Wakefield, and that at St. Ives in Huntingdon.

In nearly all cases the first bridge took the place of a ferry, which suggested that there ought to be a bridge at that particular spot The same old story applies to one of the newest on the river, built quite recently at Clifton Hampden, in Oxfordshire It was built by Lord Aldenham in the place of a very ancient ferry owned by Exeter College, which sold him the ferry rights for a nominal sum. It is built in the Gothic style, to resemble an early English model But the Gothic design is heavy, just as that of "New Bridge" is It blocks the view up and down the river, and the situation is chosen against rule. It is by a bend of the river, and the 'take off,' as people say of a jump, is bad The Thames might change its course in flood and break the weak approach on one side The bottom of the river is rock which is in the bridge's favor This is an example of a modern bridge built with good intentions but which is not entirely a success

Over the Avon.

The "great and sumptuous bridge" over the Avon at Stratford, with fourteen arches and a long causeway of stone, is still called by the name of its founder, Sir Hugh Clopton, one of the greatest benefactors of Shakespeare's town Sir Hugh was born in a village near and probably often felt the inconvenience of crossing the ferry Many folk either refused to come to the town when the river was up or crossing there stood in jeopardy of life" Sir Hugh almost remodeled parts of Stratford, and was in all ways a great citizen and a great builder New Place the pleasant house in which Shakespeare ended his days in prosperity and comfort belonged originally to Sir Hugh, who built it as a town residence. The Avon is spanned by what, on the whole, may be considered the most beautiful series of bridges of all kinds large and small, which any English river can boast of Eckington bridge is one of the best. The proportions of many of them are so good that there is very little doubt that the builders were men of taste and education Bridges are not like houses The same rules apply with a little modification to the making of one of stone or brick now as to those which were in use in the days of the Romans

Honors Come High.

Earl Roberts will have to pay, in one way and another, something like $3 000 for the honor of being an earl The greater part of this, of course, will be the cost of the coronet, but the charge is swelled by fees of all sorts which people will think ought to be abolished. Bismarck was once made furious by a charge of this kind. The Spanish government offered to invest the chancellor with the order of the Golden Fleece, and the prince promised to accept the honor if the government would send the order and its insignia to him instead of expecting him to go to Spain to receive it. The request was complied with and a few weeks after the arrival of the order and its insignia at Freidrichsruh there came a bill for 8,000 francs. Bismarck sent for the Spanish ambassador "If I had known the cost," he said angrily, "I should not have accepted the honor. In any case I won't pay it" Spain had to get along without the 8 000 francs, for Bismarck never gave way.

A Useless Office.

The page of the pipe at Windsor Castle holds an hereditary office which dates back to the time of Charles II. That merry monarch acquired the tobacco habit from some of his Virginia colonists, and required a page, who was paid a salary of $500 a year, to keep his smoking apparatus in order. In a moment of generosity his majesty made the appointment permanent. Until 1765 the honor was held by the Duke of Grafton, who got hard up and sold it to a merchant named Harrison. As Queen Victoria did not smoke, the office was a sinecure, but the descendants of Harrison are entitled to the privilege of entering the presence of their sovereign at any time.

Blondeness As a Disease.

According to Prof J Barry, a Chicago scientist, blondeness is a disease Every blonde woman, he says, bears the evidence of disease in her blue eyes and sunny hair as plainly as if her face was pitted with small-pox Blondeness as a disease, he believes, will soon be recognized and instead of attempts by brunettes to bleach their hair blondes will seek all sorts of dyes to give their hair a raven hue.

Good Money in Hunting Coyotes.

Coyote hunting is profitable in Oregon, and the coyotes appear to be plentiful. The State pays for the scalps of these animals and also for those of wild cats, and up to the end of last year scalp bounty warrants aggregating $100,000 had been issued, Of the estimated $10,000 issued last month, one for $1,106 went to a mighty hunter of Harney county, whose score was 490 coyotes and 63 wild cats.

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CARLYLE AS TEACHER.

Anecdote of Great Man's Early Days as Schoolmaster.

A writer in the Scotsman has unearthed an amusing anecdote of Thomas Carlyle as a country schoolmaster It is told by a Cupar lawyer and provost, who was one of Carlyle's pupils in Kirkcaldy As a teacher Carlyle is described as a strict and gloomy disciplinarian, whose large glowing eyes constantly shot forth wrath His mere scowl would hush the whole school, and he had a laugh that was a series of chuckles and loud guffaws wherein he displayed his teeth like the keys of a piano One morning just as we were entering the schoolroom, a donkey appeared on the playground, and Bill Hood rushed to mount the animal and attempted to ride it into the schoolroom The donkey was induced to carry its rider over the threshold amid the shouts of laughter and cheers from the boys Just as Bill was spurring the donkey into the master's desk Carlyle appeared. We expected a tremendous explosion of wrath but instead he burst into a roar of laughter—such a roar, however, as produced a sudden and complete hush, and that roar was renewed again and again Finally the master spoke. 'That,' he said, "is the wisest and best scholar Kirkcaldy has yet sent me; he is fit to be your teacher" He tapped the donkey's head, as he was wont to do ours, and continued 'There's something here far more than in the skulls of any of his brethren before me" He then gave some hard taps on Bill Hood's head, and would not allow him to dismount but for penalty ordered him to ride up and down before the school for an hour while the boys who had been most active in helping Bill to go through the farce had to march in pairs before and behind the perplexed looking ass. The other scholars were permitted to stand as spectators of the grotesque procession Meantime, seated within his pulpit-like desk, Carlyle surveyed Bill and his company with a strange mixture of mirth, scorn and fury —Youth's Companion.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

'I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,' says F P Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug " Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets

President Faure's Erudite Daughter.

Mdlle. Lucie Felix Faure, daughter of the former president of the French republic, who has just made her entry into the literary world by a critical work on Newman, is said to be a young woman of great erudition and of considerable originality of thought. She reads the classics in the text, is an excellent Latinist and a distinguished Greek scholar. Her book on Cardinal Newman is a psychological analysis from the Roman Catholic view point. The author is very devout. Mdlle Felix Faure, with her mother, has lived very quietly since they left the Elysee. She is very rich, occupies herself with philanthropic work, and is the president of the Charitable League of the Children of France, of which she is the founder.

A HORRIBLE OUTBREAK

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C. D. Isbill, of Morganton, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's cor. Main and North streets.

UNDERGROUND BUILDINGS.

Stories Before the Curb Line a Feature In New Office Structure.

A building rising a hundred feet above the curb line in the business part of New York city is an imposing and valuable bit of real estate Our engineers are constructing two such buildings below the curb line These new subterranean buildings will provide in their basement, sub-basement, cellar and sub-cellar—their four stories—in other words 53,000 square feet of new floor space, says a writer in Harper's Weekly. At the very moderate rental of $2 per square foot, here is an increment in rental value alone of more than $110,000 a year, which is a handsome return on $2,000,000 While this new floor space may not be in great demand for offices it will naturally be in great demand for the accommodation of the enormous machinery plant, which under modern conditions, is necessary to the maintenance of a great office building The space now utilized for this machinery will naturally be available under the new condition for other and more remunerative uses in which the archives of corporations may be kept beyond the remotest perils of fire So that in spite of the expense of subconstruction, which is naturally greater than that of building up into the air, on account of the cost of the caissons and the limited number of workmen who can at one time work in the caissons in the end new underground floor space will be found substantially clear gain Certainly the foundations of the entire structure, which will forever rest on bedrock, can never be shaken or disturbed by any other building whatsoever, or even by the construction of a railway tunnel.

Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo, writes 'I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years and have doctored with all the leading physicians and have tried all remedies suggested without any relief Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am sound and well.'

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Selling Groceries as Sheldon Would.

It is impossible to escape the conviction that the Indiana groceryman who has begun to run his store "as Christ would" has put up a strictly business proposition in the guise of a righteous venture. He sells no tobacco or strong drinks of any kind But reports of his rushing business in other lines argue that he need not go into cigars and whisky for profit's sake. Besides, he saves tax and license fees. He marks his goods with cost and selling price, so that his customers may see his profits. He sells for strict cash and delivers nothing. So he saves bad debts, bookkeeping expenses, and the cost of delivery He runs a souphouse for the poor, selling food at exact cost—and can afford it. Altogether, from this distance, the commercial equation seems to enter at least as emphatically into this enterprise as the religious one Probably the storekeeper's scheme is not without profit also to his customers If it were it would soon work itself out. But why not conduct the business as a straight enterprise of mutual good, without any irreverent pretense to be selling groceries as Sheldon would?—New York World

AN HONEST MEDICINE FOR LA GRIPPE.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me, says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North sts.

IN DEATH VALLEY.

Borax Industry on an Ill-Fated California Plain.

There was a young man at the Spencer house recently who was raised in that part of California known as the great American desert, says the Indianapolis Journal His home is within fifty miles of a stretch of desolate country called Death valley The young man was Daniel Searles, who represents the Pacific Coast borax company This company controls all the borax mines in the world It is, in fact, one of those menacing trusts that so much was said about during the last campaign and is capitalized at $16,000,000 One of the company's principal mines is situated in Death valley There are also mines in Turkey South America and Italy and there is talk of prospecting for mines in Africa as soon as that country has become sufficiently civilized Young Searles says that borax is found wherever there has been volcanic action under ground It is found in Death valley about 100 feet under ground Death valley is situated about 500 miles southeast of San Francisco It is about 150 miles in length and thirty miles wide Searles says the miners employed by the company are unable to work in summer on account of the intense heat, and all of the mining is done in the winter The product is taken to Mojave 125 miles distant, for ship Mojave is the junction of the Atlantic and Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads In transferring the borax from the mines a team of from eighteen to twenty mules is used for every two wagons, which are coupled together These wagons carry fifteen tons of borax Usually the team consists of two horses and eighteen mules The company maintains water stations along the route and these are about twenty miles apart The water is piped to the stations from springs or small streams usually found in the mountains Sometimes the water is piped as far as seven miles "There has always been water in the American desert" said young Searles, "but the travelers who were strange to the country did not know where to find it. They gave up in despair, supposing there was no water.'

Eugene J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chicago Nothing else as good

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Powers Had Pie.

Some years ago at the beginning of his career, James T Powers, the comedian with "San Toy," the charming musical comedy at the Museum, was in Philadelphia, looking for something to do He finally made an engagement with a man who was doing a turn in a vaudeville house Powers was to receive $10 a week and his board, with the promise that he was to have meat three times a day. They went to a nearby restaurant for their first meal, and the vaudeville man ordered two glasses of milk and two pieces of apple pie; for dinner the same order was given; for supper Powers was again regaled with two pieces of apple pie and two glasses of milk Powers ventured to remonstrate, saying that he was under the impression that he was to have meat at all his meals. This did not discomfit his friend, who merely called. "Waiter, make those pieces of apple pie, mince."

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LAKE DISAPPEARS.

Ngami, a Great Lake of South Africa, No Longer on the Map

A great lake has vanished in South Africa Ngami is its name and a map drawn in 1508 shows that it was then one of the most conspicuous features of the country When Livingston however, visited it on July 28 1849, he found that its water was slowly disappearing and that its banks were being covered with rank vegetation Today there is no water in the lake, its place being occupied by a spacious morass, which quickly swallows any one who is so adventurous as to set foot on it Beneath this morass is still some water, but in order to bring it to the surface, the ground must be bored to a considerable depth River Tauche formerly flowed into this lake, but now the tributaries that led to the lake are dry, and the river itself is also choked up thirty-two kilometers north of Ngami During the last ten or twelve years the water has disappeared very rapidly, and the reason apparently is because the mouth of the river was gradually filled with the thousands of small floats or rafts on which the natives were wont to take their early tribute of corn to Lenokans. These rafts were left year after year and travelers maintain that the river found itself powerless against an obstacle like this, the result being that the river and lake have become dry and that what was once fertile agricultural region is now bleak and barren. Formerly there were several villages near the lake, but now these, too, have vanished, and only a few cattle kraals are to be seen "And it will be impossible to restore the lake," says S Parrarge, who visited the place recently, "since in its present condition it would require more water than the river could give it. Lake Ngami is gone forever."

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Peter Sorenson discovered a "boiling spring" in the basement of the Empire building, says the Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin, and he is now at the Emergency hospital with a badly-cooked foot. Sorenson was walking about the basement floor when he stepped into a catch basin which had been left uncovered. Steam from the boiler had been discharged into the sewer and this sent the water up to a scalding temperature.

FINDERS OF AMERICA.

Buddhist Priest Sonoda Tries to Rob Columbus of His Laurels

The Rev Shuye Sonoda, Buddhist priest of Japan, has returned to San Francisco from Mexico, with what he regards as convincing proof that his people discovered America 1,000 years before Columbus and carried their faith along the Pacific coast from Alaska to Mexico. Sonoda was assisted by Senor Batres, archaeologist of the Mexican government, says a special dispatch to the Chicago Record. Sonoda followed the course of Hoeishin, a Buddhist monk, who in 499 A D, returned to his native land with an account of explorations that reached to a land he called Fu Sang, now identified with Mexico by reason of the maguey plant Sonoda found innumerable evidences of Buddhist influence over the natives of Mexico. Some of these were the Mexican zodiac with its twenty-eight hours, Buddha Zaca Oriental letterings and signs on temples, stones, images and pottery and hundreds of names which are slightly corrupted from the Japanese The temples he found invariably facing south, as in Tibet, the home of Buddhism, and in the mosaics at Uxmal he found the common cross of Tibet He also found strong racial resemblances in features between the Mexican and California mission Indians and the Japanese So strong were these resemblances in features that when a California mission Indian was dressed in Japanese costume and photographed, Prof John Fyer of the chair of Oriental languages, University of California, declared the photograph was of a Japanese of the northern islands and bore no resemblance to the California Indian.

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HERE AND THERE.

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Three sons of President John Tyler have lived to see the twentieth century. One is a member of the Virginia senate and another is president of William and Mary college

Charles S. Francis, of Troy, the United States minister to Greece, recently remarked: "I am a Trojan going to Athens, and I have, oddly enough, a daughter named Helen."

The authorities of the Norwegian Children's Home in Chicago, have refused to accept a gift of $100 because the money was raised by a concert where there was dancing and where liquor was sold.

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Malinta	7:27 am	4:27 pm
Napoleon	7:40 am	4:40 pm
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No. 2. Daily except Sunday.....	8:20 a m
No. 6. Daily	11:57 a m
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	05	*Mentley		
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7:30 Lv.	09	Rice	Lv	4:00
7:45 Ar.	14	Continental (2)	Lv	3:45
8:15 Lv.	14	Continental (2)	Ar	3:15
	18	*Leon		
8:35 Ar.	20	Dornington (3)	Lv	2:55
8:45 Lv.	20	Dornington (3)	Ar	2:45
8:55 Ar.	22	Kalida	Lv	2:35
9:10 Lv.	22	Kalida	Ar	3:20
	27	*Seitz		
9:31 Lv.	29	Jones City (4)	Lv	1:59
9:40 Lv.	32	Gomer	Lv	1:50
	38	*Pogue		
10:00 Ar	40	North Lima (5)	Lv	1:30
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A willing helper does not wait until he is asked.

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There is no use in blowing a fire that burns well.

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Mr. J. W. Patterson, night police at Nashua, Ia., says: "In January I had a very bad cold on my lungs, and used half a dozen different cough medicines and prescriptions from two doctors, but grew worse all the time. I finally bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and after using two-thirds of it, I was entirely cured."

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J. PIERPONT MORGAN.

referred to in a New York court the other day when his personal counsel, Francis Lynde Stetson, asserted that, if he chose, Morgan could influence our greater markets in any way he desires. It is fortunate for the country that he is a conservative financier and an honorable man. The wealth at his command is estimated at $800,000,000.

Of Wealthy Parentage.

J. Pierpont Morgan was born rich. The proverbial silver spoon was waiting for him when he made his appearance in the home of Junius Morgan, a banker at Hartford, Conn. That event occurred sixty-four years ago. Reared amid luxurious surroundings and educated at the University of Goettingen, Germany, young Morgan inherited $10,000,000 upon the death of his father, who had while his son was growing to manhood become a partner of the famous George Peabody of London, and of the Drexels in New York. A natural financier, young Morgan cultivated his inheritance so that it grew rapidly. As the senior partner of the banking houses of J. P. Morgan and Co., New York; Morgan, Drexel & Co., of Philadelphia, J. S. Morgan & Co. of London, and Morgan, Harjes & Co., of Paris, he was a power in the financial world years ago. The first great deal in which he displayed his genius for managing gigantic operations that has since astounded the world was in 1876, when he organized the syndicate which took the issue of $200,000,000 of 4½ per cent government bonds when the national debt was refunded.

His Railway Operations.

Then he turned to railway management. He organized the first Joint Traffic association, brought the Pennsylvania and New York Central to friendly terms, reorganized the West Shore, put the Philadelphia & Reading on a good basis, reorganized the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Northern Pacific & the Erie, made the Great Southern railway a prosperous corporation, and would have prevented the insolvency of the Baltimore & Ohio but for the violation of one of the agreements made with him by outside parties. All these transactions brought many millions to his bank account. He is one of the giants of the coal trust, which has given him many more millions. By his management of the money syndicate which handled the $62,000,000 bond issue of the Cleveland administration, he is reputed to have made $20,000,000. It was he who created the steel trust, of which by Carnegie's retirement he now becomes the head. The coffin trust is one of the creatures of his great brain, and in electricity he brought about the formation of the Edison company and the General Electric. An idea of his tremendous power may be gained by considering the statement that, with the exception of the Erie and the Pennsylvania, he controls all the avenues of commerce that enter New York city, including the ferries. He has under his direction 19,028 miles of railroad, employing 80,000 men. It was Morgan who consolidated the Western Union Telegraph and the American Bell Telephone companies. He has a vast interest in the Chinese and Japanese carrying trade, and he owns stock in industries in the Orient. Into none of these enterprises has Morgan gone like a speculator, taking chances. He knew his ground before he moved. Finance is to him a great science which he understands perfectly. Jay Gould, knowing his power, feared him. The Vanderbilts bow to him. He believes in himself and enjoys his power. He is gruff and emphatic in speech, and to all persons with whom he is unacquainted, he is as inaccessible as the Czar of Russia. The men in his employ find him as stiff a disciplinarian as Blucher or Von Moltke were in their armies. And yet no places in New York are more eagerly sought after than clerkships in his house. Only capable young men are admitted, and he never engages a clerk at less than $1,000 per year.

His Private Life.

Morgan's life, outside his business, has luxuries that a king might enjoy. He drinks the rarest of wines and his special brand of cigars cost him $1.25 each. He has spent $60,000 on dogs. His favorite amusement is yachting. He gave the New York Yacht club a club house worth $100,000, and it was his racing yacht, the Columbia, which kept the American cup on this side of the water. Another yacht, the Corsair, cost him $300,000. He paid $7,250 for a pair of carriage horses recently. A Mazarin Bible in two volumes cost him $25,000. Among his philanthropic acts was the gift of $1,000,000 for the building of the New York Lying-in Hospital.

STRANGE TOWN THIS.

The Ocean Tide Regulates the Whole Life of the Place.

On Holland island, in Chesapeake Bay, is the queerest town in the United States. The ocean tides regulate the whole life of the place. At low tide the town is full of activity. Business, society functions and schools are then carried on. But when the flood tide sets in all people and children scamper for their homes, regardless of the time of day or night.

The cause of this peculiar arrangement is the fact that the town is gradually sinking under the waters of the bay. Holland Island, which used to be a body of land rising high above the water, has sunk rapidly in the last few years. Its principal streets are flooded at high tide. Only the houses on the high central ridge [illegible] island are above water.

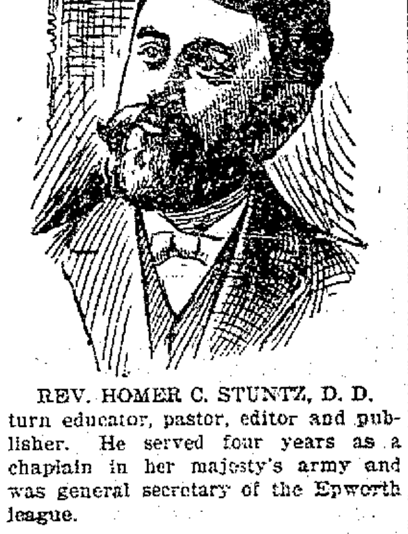
When high tide occurs [illegible] 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning the affairs of the town go on much the same as in any other town. By 6 or 7 o'clock the water has receded from the streets, and the merchants open their stores. At 9 o'clock the children go to school and the women go shopping. All are happy in the thought that they can stay away from home till late in the afternoon, when the returning high tide is due.

But when high tide occurs at midday all this is changed. The children must get up and go to school before light in the morning. Men hustle downtown to their stores at 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning anxious to do a part of a day's business before the tide comes in. Before noon they must close shop and go home till evening, when they can open up again at low tide.

In spite of these inconveniences 600 people live on Holland Island. They are mostly oystermen and their families. Much money and labor have been expended by the property owners to combat the terrible action of the swift running tides, but now all seems doomed to destruction.

HEAD OF METHODIST MISSION.

Rev. Dr. Homer C. Stuntz of Mount Vernon, Iowa, will leave next month for the Philippine islands as superintendent of Methodist Episcopal missions in the oriental possessions of the United States. Dr. Stuntz has been pastor of the First M. E. church of Mount Vernon for four years and within that time has demonstrated his fine ability as a builder and organizer of religious work. He is a native of Pennsylvania, 43 years old. In 1879 he studied law and practiced at the bar, but he aspired for a religious life and entered the Northwestern university at Chicago and graduated in theology. In 1887 Mr. Stuntz went to British India, where for eight years he was a missionary among the English and Eurasian people of the empire. He was in



REV. HOMER C. STUNTZ, D. D.

turn educator, pastor, editor and publisher. He served four years as a chaplain in her majesty's army and was general secretary of the Epworth league.

Lights Must Keep Burning.

A traveler once visiting the lighthouse at Calais said to the keeper, "But what if one of your lights should go out at night?" "Never! Impossible!" he cried. "Sir, yonder are ships sailing to all parts of the world. If tonight one of my burners were out, in six months I should hear from America or India, saying that on such a night the light of the Calais lighthouse gave no warning, and some vessel had been wrecked." If all Christians felt as deeply the responsibility that rests upon them as lights in the world, what a transformation might be expected!

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Paris Duelists Call for Ruling.

French duellists are calling for a ruling on an important point. The "Code," it seems, does not cover it, and until it is settled the harmless amusement of duelling "a la Francaise" may result in hard feelings between the principals engaged in the sport.

Recently two gentlemen of Paris, M. Albert Alberti and M. Charles Andrieux, went out to the Velodrome du Parc des Princes to engage in the national game. Two shots were to be exchanged. At the first round M. Alberti's pistol missed fire. His seconds wanted to begin over again, but the seconds of M. Andrieux asserted that a miss counted a shot. There was a long and heated argument over the matter, and finally M. Alberti, who was the challenging party to the game, got tired and gave up his contention. Then the second two shots were exchanged. By an accident M. Andrieux's trousers and coattails were perforated in the second round. Honor was declared satisfied and all went to breakfast, the harmony of which was slightly disturbed by a recurrence to the point in dispute. The Auto-Velo of Paris is advocating an immediate ruling upon the question raised.

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Jell-O, the New Desert, pleases all the family. Four flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cents. Try it today. 6

Goshen, Ill.

Swears Under His Breath.

William Burke of Binghamton, N. Y., has been sent to jail for thirty days for using profane language in a public street. Since his incarceration he swears twice as much as ever, but his oaths are muttered under his breath.

Neatest Town in World.

The neatest town in the world is Broek, in Holland. So tidy are the inhabitants that they won't allow horses in the streets. It contains a population of 2,700, and the chief industry is the making of Edam cheese.

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Were Provided at the Annual Banquet at Market Street Church Last Night.

A Hundred Guests Partook of the Viands Provided by the Ladies and Enjoyed Toasts That Had Been Assigned.

The annual banquet tendered the men of the Market street Presbyterian church congregation last night was a marked success, for which all credit due must be given to the ladies, as usual. The invitations brought nearly a hundred responses, and the five long tables set in the Endeavor room were comfortably filled.

The menu was excellent, and, if what one of the speakers of the evening said has any truth about it, the intention of the ladies to appeal to the men through their stomachs will certainly avail them something, particularly if the repast of last evening is a sample of what they may expect. Escalloped oysters, cream potatoes, jellied chicken, pressed beef, brown and white bread sandwiches, fruit gelatine, olives, pickles, brick cream, cake and coffee, made a feast fit for a king.

At the close of the repast C. H. Cory, who presided as toast master, introduced the following speakers, who had been assigned their respective toasts:

"The Twentieth Century Church and the Men".....Thomas H. Jones
"Professional Men and the Church".....S. B. Hiner, M. D.
"Church Brothers-in-law".....W. L. Mackenzie
"The Church and the Community".....S. S. Wheeler
"The Church and Men".....Rev. R. J. Thomson

The addresses were excellent, and while toned to suit the place and the occasion, there were many humorous incidents recited to illustrate a particular point, and the guests of the evening could not have enjoyed an event more entirely. In Mr. Wheeler's remarks he told an anecdote which defined the position taken by the ladies toward the "brothers-in-law" of the church more forcibly than eloquence could have illustrated.

Using for his characters the long-married aunt of a blushing bride and the young lady herself, he brought the two into conversation. The young wife had noticed that in the home of her aunt and uncle there had always been peace and happiness; never a word of anger or fault finding, and this state of affairs she wished to exist in the nest she had vowed to keep in order. On this occasion she appealed to her aunt to tell her the secret of this state of uninterrupted happiness. The answer could not have startled the fair inquisitor more than it did those who were waiting for the climax: "Feed the brute," was the secret of aunty's success, and it was the natural conclusion drawn from the well-told story that the ladies of the church had formed the same opinion long ago.

Dr. Hiner's first remark was in relation to his subject, "Professional Men and the Church," facetiously hinting that they were like snakes in Ireland—there are none. This bold sweep he modified to a degree, but added that when one occasionally broke in he carried his profession along and acted and talked shop just the same. Dr. Hiner created another laugh when he compared the physician with the lawyer, the one known by his deeds and the other only by his words. In conclusion Dr. Hiner remarked that we are now living in a practical age and that it was the practical religion that counted.

W. L. Mackenzie defined "Church Brother-in-laws" as belonging to the class who are not the workers and beyond the pale of the church as it were. He gazed with at least an assumption of commiseration upon the rows of guests assembled and then solemnly remarked that there were many faces he now looked upon that he remembered of last seeing at the banquet a year ago. It was a happy hit and Mr. McKenzie had plenty of more equally as pointed suggestions which the brothers-in-law could not fail to appreciate. His address was decidedly clever, and the serious deductions drawn added just the touch needed to impress his audience with a sense of a duty carelessly neglected.

Thomas H. Jones, who was the first speaker to be introduced, delivered an eloquent address; one which was prepared and executed in all seriousness, and it had for its object the calling to duty of the men were to shield and build up the church of the 20th century.

Dr. Thompson closed with a short but delightful talk on "The Church and the Men," and his points were supported to good effect from his inexhaustible stock of humorous anecdotes, and incidents which had come under his observation. Naturally there was a moral, which the subject bears out, and his closing words were those of encouragement to the young men, and an appeal to all not to forget the serious side of life, which contact with the church and its influences could only keep alive.

DECREASED IN POPULATION.

Twenty-two counties in Ohio, according to the recent census, show a decrease in population. They are Clermont, with a decrease of 2,943; Brown, 1,662; Holmes, 1,628; Noble, 1,287; Meigs, 1,193; Morgan, 1,138; Wayne, 1,135; Ashland, 1,038; Carrol, 775; Wyandot, 593; Fayette, 548; Hancock, 570; Union, 518; Darke, 429; Champaign, 338; Harrison, 334; Morrow, 241; Shelby, 82; Clinton, 38 and Lawrence 22. Only seven of these counties are in the northern half of the state, and none of them, unless it be Hancock, can be said to be in northwestern Ohio.

AN EARLY SALE of KID GLOVES.

Easter is not far away. We'll not wait for it to begin the Kid Glove selling, but start it now. Why not? About every woman in this community will buy a pair of Kid Gloves twixt this and Easter. The place to buy them is at

G. E. BLUEM'S,
57 Public Square.

MACCABEES

Of the Fifteenth District to Meet in This City.

The Knights of the Maccabees of the Fifteenth Maccabee district of Ohio, will convene in the Donze hall in this city on Friday, April 5th, to elect district officers and a delegate to the great camp. Delegates will be present representing each of the tents of the district.

At the meeting of Petroleum tent, No. 422, in the Odd Fellows Temple Monday evening, Sir Knight C. A. Hiatt was elected delegate to the district convention.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Associated Charities on Friday evening, March 22, in the Board of Education room at 7 o'clock. It is very important that the business be finished up for the year; therefore, let all the officers and ward committees be present. All persons holding bills against the board, please send to the secretary at once in order that they may be paid at this meeting. We are thankful for the following additional donations since our last report. The Fidelity Coal Co., five ton of coal; W. W. Hawkins, $5.00.

5-2t MRS. E. B. SHREFF, Sec'y.

OURS'LL BE A BUSY HOSIERY SECTION.

Proper qualities, proper size range, proper spring assortments and prices to prompt you to buy your whole season's Stocking outfit. Reasons enough surely to make business for any Hosiery stock. You ought to see them at

G. E. BLUEM'S,
57 Public Square.

Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague. Most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe, never failing cure—Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

LIMA

Man May Gain the Full Title.

B. F. Franklin

Will Not Be the General Superintendent

When He Returns to the Service of the Clover Leaf Railroad.

President Norton Knows Nothing of the Rumored Purchase of Clover Leaf Road by Vanderbilts.

President Benjamin Norton, of the Clover Leaf, returned yesterday morning from St. Louis, where he had gone immediately upon his return to this city from New York last Sunday morning, says the Toledo Times.

There were many questions which the newspaper men had to ask Mr. Norton in connection with his visit to New York, but little news was secured from him. It will be remembered that stories have been in circulation for several weeks in connection with the sale of the Clover Leaf to the Vanderbilts, and another story to the effect that the Clover Leaf was to acquire the D. & L. N. and the Ohio Southern. In answer to questions in regard to these rumors, President Norton said:

"Honestly, the only thing I know about these stories is what I have read in the newspapers. There is nothing in them."

When asked about the rumor that General Superintendent B. F. Franklin had resigned, Mr. Norton replied that at Mr. Franklin's request he had been relieved of the duties of general superintendent, but that he would remain with the road and would assume other duties now that he had taken a short vacation. He will take up some special work the nature of which has not as yet been announced. As to Mr. Franklin's successor Mr. Norton said his name would not be announced before the first of the month. It is the general opinion, however, that Mr. B. R. Stevens, at present acting general superintendent of the road, will be given the full title. President Norton would have nothing to say about this, however.

NOTES.

Conductor Thomas Lewry, who has recently taken the north end local, is moving his family from Lima to Toledo and will reside on Oak street.

General Yardmaster Anderson, of the C. H. & D. at Toledo, is tussling with a yard blockade which is reaching serious proportions. Both north and south bound business is at high-water mark and continues to increase.

DELPHOS

Man Will Prepare for His Defense

And Has Furnished Names of His Witnesses.

Denies That He Refused to Support His Children and Will Have Some Counter Charges to Make.

Leander Seitz yesterday afternoon furnished his attorney, Howard B. Williamson, with a list of witnesses he wishes to have subpoened in support of the defense he will make Tuesday morning when he will be called into Justice Duffield's court to answer to the charge of not supporting his children.

Seitz is a resident of Delphos, where he is now engaged in tending bar, but formerly he was employed as a conductor on the Clover Leaf. He has three children aged 10, 12 and 14 years, and his wife has caused his arrest under the Humane law which compels a father to provide for his children until they attain a certain age. Mrs. Seitz declares that her husband has refused to furnish the necessary amount to properly clothe and feed the little ones and after she had issued a warrant to that effect officer Cremean arrested Seitz and brought him to Lima.

The defendant denies that he has been guilty of the neglect charged and says he has given his wife money for the support of the children which she spent for other things. He makes other and more serious charges which will be brought out at the hearing Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, and he has also taken the first steps to apply for a divorce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Harvey Niles, aged 27, railroader, and Maggie Jones, aged 23, of Sugar Creek township.

Jonathan M. Ford, aged 23, a farmer of Rushmore, and Jennie M. Dunlap, aged 18, of Gomer.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Martin Spyker et al. to Amos Reichelderfer, 94 acres in Shawnee township, $2,850.

Lewis Spyker and wife to Amos Reichelderfer, quit claim to 94 acres in Shawnee township, $466.

C. W. Solomon and H. L. Solomon to F. D. Bowers, inlot 14 in Beaverdam, $485.

Charles Ashton et al. to Henry and Martin O'Brien, inlots 3975 to 3985, 3993 to 3996 in Maplewood addition, $1,250.

Harlan P. Clark and wife to Bert H. Colt one-half acres in Myers' addition to Spencerville, $1,300.

I. N. Thomas et al. to Amelia Powers, land on south Elizabeth street, $280.

Jonathan Rudy to Henry Kreuse, 1 acre in German township, $1,350.

IN BATH TOWNSHIP.

A handsome son has arrived to add sunshine to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Neely, in Bath township. He's a staunch Democrat, too.

See J. L. Steiner's grocery ad on eighth page, for free trading stamps.

LIMA CHAPTER No. 49, R. A. M.

Special convocation tomorrow (Friday) evening. Work on Royal Arch degree. W. J. SHEPHERD, H. P.
WALLACE LANDIS, Sec'y.

PERSONAL.

Arthur A. Wagner, of Sidney, is visiting with his cousin, Mrs. Rose Gallagher, of north Elizabeth street.

Mrs. D. A. Bressler, Mrs. W. D. Bressler and daughter Hazel, and Miss Hannah Clink, of east High street, have returned from Spencerville after attending the funeral of their cousin, Mr. Carl Zimmerman, an aged pioneer of Auglaize county.

Mrs. Rozella Lauterty was a visitor in Van Wert yesterday.

Mrs. A. H. Watts, of Van Wert, was the guest yesterday in this city of her son Frank.

SPECIAL SALE OF Muslin Underwear at G. E. Bluem's this week.

SEALED

The Happiness of a Monroe Groom and Lima Bride.

Justice Duffield presided at the first wedding ceremony last evening since his return, and made binding the vows taken by Porter Ramsey, of Monroe Center, and Miss Nellie Griffith, of this city. The wedding took place at 5 o'clock in the justice's office and the bridal salute was delivered by attorney Kilgore.

TOWNSEND'S FISH.

Smelts, Pike, White, Catfish, Herring, Trout, Eels, Pickerel, Oysters, Bullheads.

CHURCH SERVICES

At the south side Church of Christ tonight at 7:30. There will be baptismal services conducted by the pastor.

Every family should have its household medicine chest, and the first bottle in it should be Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's remedy for coughs and colds.

F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

My Lady's Breakfast is Well Served

when the hot-bread, hot roll or muffin is Royal Baking Powder risen.

Stale bread for breakfast is barbarous; hot, yeast-risen rolls are dyspeptic.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

adds anti-dyspeptic qualities to the food and makes delicious hot-bread, hot-biscuit, rolls, muffins or griddle cakes, whose fragrance and beauty tempt the laggard morning appetite, and whose wholesome and nutritive qualities afford the highest sustenance for both brain and body.

The "Royal Baker and Pastry Cook"—containing over 800 most practical and valuable cooking receipts—free to every patron. Send postal card with your full address.

There are cheap baking powders, made from alum, but they are exceedingly harmful to health. Their astringent and cauterizing qualities add a dangerous element to food.

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CARD OF THANKS.

The relatives of the late Mrs. Oatman desire to thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and after the death of the departed.

HUSBAND AND CHILDREN.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

The degree staff of Golden Gate Rebekah lodge No. 260, and all members of the lodge that can are requested to meet at their hall, Friday afternoon, March 22nd, at 2 o'clock sharp. By order of the captain.

ATHLETIC EXHIBITION.

The Ladies' Physical Culture class of this city, consisting of fifty ladies, will give a first-class entertainment in the opera house, Wednesday night, March 27th. Look for the program later. Popular prices. Tickets on sale at Melville's drug store.

GOOD BYE TO WINTER SHOES.

Get them while our Annual Cut Price Sale is going on. Gooding's Shoes are good Shoes---this you all know, and with the present low prices---you can greatly economize in your Shoe buying. These prices should appeal to all who wear Shoes.

Men's Shoes.

Our entire stock of Men's $5.00 Box Calf Winter Shoes, hand sewed, the product of such makers as Strong, Garfield & Co., Stacey, Adams & Co., Shoes that sell everywhere at $5.00 or $6.00,

Sale Price, $3.50

The above shoes will not last long at this price.

Our regular $4.00 Winter Box Calf Lace Shoes. We have these shoes in every size and width. Better style and quality cannot be put into footwear than is represented in this shoe,

Sale Price, $2.98

500 pairs of Men's Calf Shoes, double and single soles, worth $3.00 and $3.50 a pair,

Sale Price, $2.48

Ladies' Shoes.

Ladies' Dongola Kid Lace Shoes, the kind you have always paid $3.00 for. All the new lasts including the very best Vici Kids. A better shoe cannot be produced for any such money. Do not overlook this shoe,

Sale Price, $1.98

Ladies' extra fine Kid, Lace Shoes, new toes, new lasts, all widths and sizes, shoes that sell the world over for $3.50 a pair,

Sale Price, $2.48

300 pairs of Ladies' Shoes, shoes that sold from $3.00 to $4.00 a pair, most all small sizes, 2½, 3, 3½, 4 and 4½,

Sale Price, $1.48

200 pairs of Ladies' Lace and Button Shoes, worth $1.50,

Sale Price, 98c

Boys' and Girls' Shoes.

Boys' Calf Lace Shoes, Coin Toes, all widths and sizes, have never sold for less than $2.00 a pair,

Sale Price, $1.48

1,000 pairs Boys' and Youths' Lace Shoes, solid and substantial, the kind that always give good wear, worth $1.50 to $1.75,

Sale Price, $1.23

One lot of Misses' Spring Heels, Button Shoes, regular price, $1.50,

Sale Price, 98c

800 pairs Children's Shoes, that never sold for less than $1.25,

Sale Price, 83c

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